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LIST OF OFFICERS

ELECTED AND APPOINTED

Selectmen

JOHN H. PERKINS, Chairman

JONATHAN LAMSON, Chairman (Deceased)

ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS

EDWARD A. DEWITT

Board of Public Welfare

EDWARD A. DEWITT, Chairman

ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS

JONATHAN LAMSON

(Deceased)

JOHN H. PERKINS

Board of Health

ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS, Chairman

EDWARD A. DEWITT JONATHAN LAMSON (Deceased)

JOHN H. PERKINS

Moderator

OLIVER WOLCOTT

Town Clerk

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN

Treasurer

GEORGE E. SMITH

Tax Collector

CHESTER A. FOSTER

Surveyor of Highways

FRANCIS C. MOYNIHAN

Assessors

GEORGE E. SAFFORD, Chairman

Term expires 1937

ROBERT H. CHITTICK

Term expires 1935

JESSE S. MANN

Term expires 1936

Tree Warden

RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

Trustees of Public Library

CHESTER H. KNOWLES, Chairman

Term expires 1936

ARTHUR W. CHANDLER

Term expires 1937

BARBARA M. GAGE

Term expires 1935

School Committee

JAMES H. CONWAY, Chairman

Term expires 1935

FREDERIC WINTHROP, JR. ROBERT ROBERTSON, JR.

Term expires 1937

Term expires 1936

Cemetery Commissioners

LEWIS B. NORTON, Chairman

Term expires 1937

LAWRENCE E. ANDERSON

Term expires 1935

RAYMOND A. WHIPPLE

Term expires 1936

Park Commissioners

RAYMOND H. STONE, Chairman

Term expires 1936

LAWRENCE E. ANDERSON

Term expires 1937

LAWRENCE R. STONE

Term expires 1935

Constables

ARTHUR SOUTHWICK

EDWARD H. FREDERICK

CHARLES F. POOLE

Chief of Police

ARTHUR SOUTHWICK

Moth Superintendent

RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

Superintendent of Cemetery

RICHARD H. WILKINSON

Registrars of Voters

FRANK W. BUZZELL, Chairman

Term expires 1937

DANIEL F. CROWLEY

JOHN F. COUNIHAN

Term expires 1935

Term expires 1936

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN, Clerk

Sealer of Weights and Measures

FRANK B. CROWELL

Town Accountant

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN

Town Counsel

ROBERT B. WALSH

*Fire Engineers*A. MERRILL CUMMINGS, *Chief*

DOUGLAS H. KNOWLTON

JOHN E. CROSS

EARL E. JOHNSON

RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

*Finance and Advisory Committee*WILLIAM W. BANCROFT, *Chairman*

WILLIAM S. FORBES (Resigned) GEORGE v. L. MEYER

JOHN H. PERKINS (Resigned) STANDISH BRADFORD

EDGAR D. ANDREWS

JOHN G. KING

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering

ERNEST M. BARKER

Inspector of Milk

ERNEST M. BARKER

Forest Fire Warden

FRED BERRY

Field Drivers

FRED BERRY

MERRILL S. LOVERING

LORING COOK

ERNEST M. BARKER

Measurers of Wood, Lumber and Bark

JESSE S. MANN

LESTER M. WHIPPLE

RALPH BERRY

TIMOTHY A. MOYNIHAN

Keeper of Lockup

GEORGE H. HARADEN

ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1934

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen :

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 41 of the General Laws and Amendments thereto, I submit herewith the following report of the Accountant's Department.

Receipts

TAXES

Current Year :

Poll	\$1,302 00
Personal	13,233 73
Real Estate	94,989 15

Previous Years :

Poll	\$20 00
Personal	686 41
Real Estate	26,039 59
Old Age Assistance	32 00

\$136,302 88

From State :

Income Tax	\$9,914 40
Corp. Tax, Business	218 18
Corp, Tax, Gas, Electric and Water	286 28

Forwarded	\$10,418 86	\$136,302 88
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Brought forward \$10,418 86 \$136,302 88

Corp. Tax, R. R., Tel. & Tel.

Co.	\$218 20	
Corp. Tax, Public Service	1 52	
Trust Co. Tax	3 50	
Trust Co. Tax, 1932	49 32	
National Bank Tax	676 13	
National Bank Tax, 1932	45 67	
National Bank Tax, 1931	127 50	
National Bank Tax, 1930	22 31	
National Bank Tax, 1933	147 76	
Veterans' Exemptions	68 21	
Income Tax	76 00	
Corp. Tax, R. R., Tel. & Tel.	8 63	
Corp. Tax, Business	8 80	
National Bank Tax, 1933	16	
National Bank Tax, 1934	9 12	
		11,881 69

LICENSES

Junk	\$20 00	
Alcoholic Beverage	889 00	
Milk	11 50	
Common Victuallers'	24 00	
Revolver Licenses	26 30	
Garage License	12 00	
Dance Hall License	2 00	
Alcohol	2 00	
Oleo License	1 00	
		987 80

Forwarded

\$149,172 37

Brought forward	\$149,172 37
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FINES AND FORFEITS

Fines:

Court	\$60 00	
	<hr/>	60 00

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From County:

Dog Licenses	\$116 87
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From State:

Vocational Education	160 92	
	<hr/>	277 79

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

Moth Assessment, 1933	\$150 80	
Moth Assessment, 1934	928 88	
	<hr/>	1,079 68

PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle Excise:

Current Year	\$5,214 71	
Previous Years	324 13	
	<hr/>	5,538 84

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Hall—Rent	\$62 00	
	<hr/>	62 00

Forwarded	\$156,190 68
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Brought forward	\$156,190 68
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Inspection:

Sealer's Fees	\$34 34
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Forest Warden:

Personal Phone Calls	30 62
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64 96

HIGHWAY

From State:

Dept. of Public Works	\$25 00
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From Individuals:

Rent of Road Roller	205 00
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230 00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Outside Relief:

From Individuals	\$84 50
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From Towns	238 10
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From State	3,438 05
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Mothers' Aid:

From State	717 33
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Old Age Assistance:

From State	827 99
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From Towns	262 00
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5,567 97

Forwarded

\$162,053 61

Brought forward	\$162,053 61
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SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid	\$180 00	
	<hr/>	180 00

SCHOOLS

Tuition, Wenham Students	\$385 29	
Rent of Auditorium	25 00	
Sale of Supplies	15 39	
	<hr/>	425 68

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Fines and Sale of Magazines	\$25 57	
	<hr/>	25 57

CEMETERIES

Care of Lots and Graves	\$556 75	
Opening Graves	174 00	
Sale of Old Equipment	17 00	
Extra Outlays	33 50	
	<hr/>	781 25

INTEREST

General Deposit	\$118 50	
Deferred Taxes	1,265 82	
Allen Library Fund	20 00	
Dodge Library Fund	113 62	
	<hr/>	1,517 94

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$80,000 00	
	<hr/>	80,000 00

Forwarded	\$244,984 05
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Brought forward	\$244,984 05
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AGENCY AND TRUST

Dog Licenses	\$574 00	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	220 00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	300 00	
Redemption Property taken by		
Town at Tax Sale	354 04	
	<hr/>	1,448 04

REFUNDS

Sundry Persons	\$211 15	
	<hr/>	211 15

BALANCES

General Cash, Jan. 1, 1934	\$12,534 37	
	<hr/>	12,534 37
		<hr/> \$259,177 61

Expenditures

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

SELECTMEN

Salaries:

Jonathan Lamson	\$212 46
Edward A. DeWitt	258 33
William H. Woodason	72 90
Arthur C. Cummings	197 92
John H. Perkins	87 56

CLERK

William H. Woodason	10 40	
George Gibney Haraden	39 60	
	<hr/>	\$879 17

Other Expenses:

Ed. A. DeWitt, Expenses to Boston	\$6 50
J. Lamson, Expenses to Boston	10 00
A. C. Cummings, Expenses to Boston	7 50
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	2 28
Ruth Bancroft, Typing	4 00
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	10 00
B. A. Dodge, Posting Notices	2 00
Com. of Mass., Stationery	1 35

Forwarded	<hr/> \$43 63	<hr/> \$879 17
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Brought forward	\$43 63	\$879 17
George Gibney Haraden, Expenses to Boston	7 40	
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	7 08	
Spaulding Morse Co., Prints	1 39	
Wm. H. Woodason, Expenses to Boston	6 40	
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Surveying Services	68 52	
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	6 65	
Carl E. Nelson, Framing Resolution	2 50	
Roy H. Lane, Treasurer, Dues Essex Co. Select- men's Assn.	6 00	
Beverly Times, Advertising	2 25	
Salem News, Advertising	7 00	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	25 00	
S. C. Gordon & Sons, Flowers	7 00	
Memorial Press, Stationery	2 56	
H. F. Larchez, Med. Services	6 00	
	<hr/>	199 38
		<hr/> \$1,078 55

SELECTMEN, UNEMPLOYED ACCOUNT

C. W. A. PROJECT, No. 1889

Francis Colby, Gravel	\$38 00	
Hamilton Hdw. Co., Supplies	45 05	
W. L. Hatch, Gas and Oil	32 10	
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Forwarded	\$115 15	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$115 15	\$1,078 55
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil	28 33	
Hamilton-Wenham Garage,		
Repairs	8 16	
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	48 47	
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	243 50	
Oil	48 35	
Hay	43 32	
	<hr/>	535 28

C. W. A. PROJECT, No. 6016-3

Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil	\$20 24	
T. A. Malone, Truck	33 75	
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	153 75	
L. D. Thompson, Truck	33 75	
J. Lamson, Expenses to Boston	5 00	
	<hr/>	246 49

E. R. A. PROJECT, No. 14122 B 2-1

D. L. Bradstreet, 1st Aid Book	\$1 80		
W. W. Bancroft, Ex. to Boston	59 50		
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	3 75		
Bedford Tailors Co., Buttons	4 33		
Wm. A. Brumby, Use of Car	12 00		
Buff & Buff Mfg. Co., Supplies	20 25		
W. B. Chase, Repairs	1 58		
J. G. Corcoran, Medical Services	18 00		
A. M. Cummings, Repairs to Truck	25 05		
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Forwarded	\$146 26	\$781 77	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$146 26	\$781 77	\$1,078 55
Ed. A. DeWitt, Ex. to Boston	5 00		
Louis Dodge, Sand	76 50		
Enon Press, Stationery	2 25		
A. N. Frost, Clerk of Court,			
Copy of Record	1 50		
N. C. Goodridge, Dry Goods	43 56		
Hamilton Hdw. Store, Supplies	78 49		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage,			
Supplies	2 20		
W. L. Hatch, Oil and Gas	6 10		
A. C. Holland Co., Insurance	100 00		
F. E. Vincent & Co., Paper Bags	7 50		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil	61 96		
C. H. Knowles Co., Medical			
Supplies	10 30		
J. Lamson, Truck	72 00		
Madeline McGregor, Misc. Dress			
Supplies	4 39		
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	3 75		
Morse Dickinson & Goodwin,			
Estimate on Roads	38 64		
E. H. Smith, Tracing Cloth	8 60		
Lawrence Lamson, Truck	54 00		
H. F. Fletcher, Med. Services	2 00		
Singer Sewing Machine Co.,			
5 Belts	1 50		
T. W. Maione, Truck	90 00		
B. L. Makepeace Inc., Stationery	6 31		
S. Malone, Equipment	33 05		
Forwarded	\$855 86	\$781 77	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$855 86	\$781 77	\$1,078 55
J. J. Melanson, Sharpening Axe	90		
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	150 00		
Gravel	488 50		
L. E. Ricker, Burlap Bags	1 05		
Jennie S. Perley, Women's E. R. A.			
Projects, Expenses to Boston	4 97		
Sellman's Filling Station,			
Gas and Oil	1 50		
Surgical Dressings Inc., First			
Aid Supplies	7 19		
L. D. Thompson, Truck	606 00		
Welch & Moynihan, Truck	3 00		
Bertha Ayers, Labor	4 00		
M. N. Babcock, Labor	216 00		
Harold Back, Labor	4 00		
Malcolm Brown, Labor	8 00		
Oscar Cahoon, Labor	420 00		
W. E. Cheever, Labor	38 75		
James Chisholm, Labor	40 00		
Francis Cummings, Labor	92 00		
Alvah I. Day, Labor	186 75		
E. P. Dodge, Labor	192 00		
M. J. Donlon, Jr., Labor	4 00		
H. L. Doucette, Labor	56 00		
Patsy Divino, Labor	66 00		
M. E. Clarke, Labor	64 00		
J. F. Flynn, Labor	26 00		
E. Frederick, Labor	51 00		
Charles Hill, Labor	4 00		
Forwarded	\$3,591 47	\$781 77	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$3,591 47	\$781 77	\$1,078 55
William Hoy, Labor	8 00		
E. M. Haraden, Labor	8 00		
C. Harding, Labor	29 00		
R. Harraden, Labor	143 00		
A. T. Hitchings, Labor	140 75		
Hollis Hitchings, Labor	56 00		
J. J. Hughes, Labor	99 00		
Arthur Jaquith, Labor	24 00		
T. B. Johnson, Labor	28 00		
Frank Koloski, Labor	8 00		
E. Lamberti, Labor	4 00		
O. Lightbody, Labor	41 00		
Thos. Kelliher, Labor	262 00		
Henry Le Blanc, Labor	48 00		
Geo. Manthorn, Labor	44 00		
Nelson Mitchell, Labor	24 00		
Geo. W. Morse, Labor	288 50		
Wm. Morse, Labor	303 50		
L. Peterson, Labor	12 00		
Henry Ricker, Labor	256 75		
L. E. Ricker, Labor	20 00		
Wm. McCarthy, Labor	96 00		
Ernest Rutherford, Labor	78 00		
E. H. Sargeant, Labor	208 50		
Geo. S. Smith, Labor	36 00		
Henry Stone, Labor	72 00		
L. D. Thompson, Labor	98 00		
Raymond Tucker, Labor	24 00		
Albert Tremblay, Labor	8 00		
Forwarded	\$6,059 47	\$781 77	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$6,059 47	\$781 77	\$1,078 55
Francis Whipple, Labor	8 00		
Roy Whipple, Labor	412 00		
Thomas Wilson, Labor	8 00		
Chester Landers, Labor	30 00		
J. A. Rhodes, Labor	32 00		
Fred Goodhue, Labor	24 00		
Lucien Frasier, Labor	12 00		
Leslie Whipple, Labor	16 00		
Chester Harvey, Labor	6 00		
Horace Day, Labor	6 00		
	<hr/>	6,613 47	

OTHER EXPENSES

R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	7 35		
Brumby's Garage, Repairs	1 85		
A. C. Cummings, Repairs	8 50		
H. A. Daley, Truck Insurance	7 80		
C. H. Davis, Med. Services	9 00		
E. A. DeWitt, Ex. to Boston	2 50		
S. C. Gould, Tools	16 76		
Hamilton Hdw. Store, Tools and Supplies	37 29		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage, Repairs	9 75		
W. L. Hatch, Oil and Gas	34 90		
Ipswich Motor Co., Tires and Repairs	10 90		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil	15 29		
J. Lamson, Truck	38 00		
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Forwarded	\$199 89	\$7,395 24	\$1,078 55

Brought forward	\$199 89	\$7,395 24	\$1,078 55
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	2 40		
B. L. Makepeace Inc., Stationery	3 40		
S. Malone, Equipment	14 90		
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Surveying Services	15 56		
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	16 30		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas and Oil	8 04		
Welch & Moynihan, Supplies	2 50		
W. H. Woodason, Ex. to Boston	2 50		
Daley's Mkt. & Grocery, Tools	4 80		
Reg. of Motor Vehicles, Plates	2 00		
Whitcomb Carter Co., Supplies	2 03		
		274 32	
			7,669 56

C. W. A. PROJECT No. 1216

(\$700.00 Appropriation from Reserve Fund, Dec. 23, 1933.

Balance, Jan. 1, 1934, \$469.63)

Francis Colby, Gravel	\$52 25		
Hamilton Hdw. Store, Supplies	36 60		
W. L. Hatch, Gas and Oil	10 57		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil	32 56		
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	28 88		
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	217 25		
Truck	38 25		
Oil	27 50		
Hay	23 32		
		467 18	
Forwarded			\$9,215 29

Brought forward

\$9,215 29

B. & M. WATER SUPPLY TANK

B. & M. R. R., Payment for

Property \$500 00

Burnham & Dodd, Labor 22 50

John Cross, Ex. to Worcester 5 30

Geo. W. Fitz, Ex. to Worcester 5 30

B. & M. R. R., Freight 9 57

L. A. Dodge, Sand 75

Gould's Pumps Inc., Pump 457 98

Geo. W. Fitz, Material and Labor 529 38

T. A. Moynihan, Gravel and

Cement 27 35

Hamilton Hdw. Store, Supplies 18 15

State Prison, Iron Cover 11 95

Beverly Gas & Electric Co.,

Current 47 04

Register of Deeds, Recording

Deed 6 00

Alex. Begg, Labor and Material 12 55

Dow Lumber Co., Lumber 76 49

Ipswich Water Dept., Cutting

Pipe 10 50

Allen Fuel Co., Oil Heater 56 95

Flynn, J. F., Elec. Labor and

Material 141 05

E. M. Barker, Jr., Labor 4 00

E. Frederick, Labor 8 00

Forwarded

\$1,950 81

\$9,215 29

Brought forward	\$1,950 81	\$9,215 29
C. A. Green, Labor	23 00	
C. Harding, Labor	4 00	
H. E. Harraden, Labor	23 00	
M. N. Babcock, Labor	40 00	
G. E. Smith, Supplies	7 28	
Gove Lumber Co.	1 52	
	<hr/>	2,049 61

WATER COMMITTEE

Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin:

Preparing reports in connection with the hearing at the State House re: Salem-Beverly

Water Boards	\$158 42	
Metcalf & Eddy	15 90	
	<hr/>	174 32

ACCOUNTING

Salaries:

George Gibney Haraden,
Accountant

\$1,200 00	
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Other Expenses:

H. B. McArdle, Stationery	9 70
Peter Paul Mech. Service,	
Repairs Adding Machine	44 30
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	11 10
J. L. Fairbanks Co., Stationery	28 00

Forwarded	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$93 10	\$1,200 00	\$11,439 22

Brought forward	\$93 10	\$1,200 00	\$11,439 22
Gen. Elec. Supply Co., Lamp	5 00		
Dorothy Greeley, Typing	1 50		
	<hr/>	99 60	
		<hr/>	1,299 60

TREASURY

Salary:

Geo. E. Smith, Treasurer	\$750 00	
	<hr/>	750 00

Other Expenses:

H. A. Daley, Burglar Ins.	35 00	
Barry Printing Co., Stationery	32 50	
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	60 00	
Peter Paul Mech. Service,		
Adding Machine	20 00	
R. S. Bauer Co., Pencils	1 00	
Obrion Russell Co., Treasurer's		
Bond	100 00	
	<hr/>	248 50
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		998 50

COLLECTOR

Salary:

Chester A. Foster, Salary	\$800 00	
	<hr/>	800 00

Other Expenses:

D. H. Knowlton, P. M.,			
Postage	67 05		
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	23 53		
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
Forwarded	\$90 58	\$800 00	\$13,737 32

Brought forward	\$90 58	\$800 00	\$13,737 32
T. A. Holland Co., Collector's Bond	207 50		
George Gibney Haraden, Typing	4 00		
C. A. Foster, Expense Attending Five Tax Collector's Meetings	14 43		
C. A. Foster, Toll Calls	3 30		
Mass. Tax Collection Assn., Dues	4 00		
North Shore Printing Co., Printing	33 25		
Salem Evening News, Tax Sale Advt'g	22 50		
Essex Co. Reg. of Deeds, Recording Deeds Tax Sale	19 70		
	<hr/>	399 26	
		<hr/>	1,199 26

ASSESSORS

Salaries:

Geo. E. Safford, Chairman	\$350 00		
Jesse S. Mann, Assessor	225 00		
Robert H. Chittick, Assessor	225 00		
	<hr/>	800 00	

Other Expenses:

Geo. E. Safford, Clerical	331 00		
Jesse S. Mann, Clerical	225 00		
Robert H. Chittick, Clerical	346 00		

Forwarded	\$902 00	\$800 00	\$14,936 58
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Brought forward	\$902 00	\$800 00	\$14,936 58
G. R. Barnstead, Tax Cards	1 00		
Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	6 50		
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	21 23		
Lilla D. Stott, Abstractor and Titles Records	54 12		
John H. Fenton, Ex. Collection	5 71		
A. W. Brownell Corp., Stationery	2 50		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	5 00		
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		<hr/>	1,798 06

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Salaries Registrars:

F. W. Buzzell, Registrar	\$50 00	
Daniel F. Crowley, Registrar	50 00	
John F. Counihan, Registrar	50 00	
George G. Haraden, Registrar	50 00	
	<hr/>	200 00

Recounts:

F. W. Buzzell, Registrar	10 00	
Daniel F. Crowley, Registrar	10 00	
John F. Counihan, Registrar	10 00	
George G. Haraden, Registrar	10 00	
	<hr/>	40 00

Election Officers:

John H. Perkins, Teller	10 00
J. Lamson, Teller	10 00
W. H. Woodason, Teller	5 00

Forwarded	\$25 00	\$240 00	\$16,734 64
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Brought forward	\$25 00	\$240 00	\$16,734 64
George G. Haraden, Teller	28 00		
E. A. DeWitt, Teller	28 00		
A. C. Cummings, Teller	23 00		
F. B. Crowell, Teller	21 00		
M. Donlon, Jr., Teller	5 00		
Frances McDonah, Teller	5 00		
Alexina Morrow, Teller	5 00		
Ed. J. Ready, Teller	5 00		
Francis Cummings, Teller	8 00		
Esther H. Dodge, Teller	16 00		
Ella F. Burke, Teller	24 00		
Lester F. Stanley, Teller	16 00		
Walter Fowler, Teller	16 00		
J. W. Cunningham, Teller	16 00		
F. C. Back, Teller	16 00		
Clarissa E. Ready, Teller	16 00		
G. G. Haraden, Teller	16 00		
E. M. Haraden, Teller	23 00		
Arthur Southwick, Constable	41 00		
B. A. Dodge, Constable	8 00		
G. H. Haraden, Teller	23 00		
Henry Rogers, Teller	15 00		
W. C. Clifford, Teller	5 00		
A. C. Holland, Teller	23 00		
A. MacCurrach, Teller	23 00		
F. C. Moynihan, Teller	13 00		
G. A. Harrigan, Teller	23 00		
Ed. Frederick, Constable	15 00		
Chas. F. Poole, Constable	8 00		

Forwarded	\$509 00	\$240 00	\$16,734 64
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Brought forward	\$509 00	\$240 00	\$16,734 64
Frank Tuck, Teller	10 00		
W. H. Knowlton, Teller	10 00		
	<hr/>	529 00	
Other Expenses:			
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	\$182 00		
B. A. Dodge, Constable and			
Posting Warrants	7 00		
Arthur Southwick, Constable			
and Posting Warrants	21 00		
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	6 75		
Daley's Market, Food	142 00		
Geo. W. Fitz, Eggs	4 65		
Ladies' Aid Society, Food	5 50		
Ruth P. Whipple, Stenography			
and Typing	45 00		
E. Fredericks, Constable	8 00		
Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	5 00		
Jesse S. Mann, Food	8 00		
	<hr/>	434 90	
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LAW			
Robert B. Walsh, Town			
Counsel	\$200 00		
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OTHER FINANCE ACCOUNTS			
Comm. of Mass., Div. of Accts.,			
Certifying Notes	\$8 00		
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Forwarded		<hr/>	\$18,146 54

Brought forward

\$18,146 54

TOWN CLERK

Salary:

George Gibney Haraden,

Town Clerk

\$500 00

\$500 00

Other Expenses:

Ruth Bancroft, Typing \$ 2 00

R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery 26 30

Chronicle Publishing Co.,

Stationery 13 50

Hobbs & Warren, Stationery 15 61

H. A. Daley, Insurance 5 00

George Gibney Haraden, Fees 51 00

Newcomb & Gauss, Printing 23 50

Hamilton Gardens, Flowers 5 00

Dorothy Greeley, Typing 4 50

146 41

646 41

TOWN HALL

Salary:

Geo. H. Haraden, Janitor \$1,000 00

\$1,000 00

Other Expenses:

R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery \$ 10 20

Beverly Gas & Elec. Co., Light 283 68

M. J. Carroll, Repairing roof 30 00

Crowley & Lunt, Directory 9 00

Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps 1 40

Forwarded

\$334 28

\$1,000 00

\$18,792 95

Brought forward	\$334 28	\$1,000 00	\$18,792 95
Daley's Market, Supplies	16 32		
Dustbane Mfg. Co., Supplies	4 65		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	6 00		
Hamilton Hardware Store, Equipment and Supplies	31 37		
Salem Laundry Co., Laundry	6 00		
J. B. Kidney Co., Painting flagpole	15 00		
C. H. Knowles Co., Supplies	12 40		
Chas. E. McQueeney, Elec. work	18 76		
S. Malone, Iron posts	2 60		
T. A. Moynihan, Coal	447 54		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Tele- phone	241 86		
Pitman & Brown, Lumber	14 91		
Santry Products Co., Supplies	4 63		
F. R. Schaller, Tuning piano	9 00		
F. E. Vincent Co., Supplies	3 00		
W. U. Tel. Co., Telegram	48		
Mosler Safe Co., Work on time lock	7 76		
F. L. Bailey, Lamps	2 50		
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TOWN HALL SPECIAL HEATING

E. H. Sargeant, Labor	\$ 9 90	
C. Harding, Labor	18 00	
J. J. Rhodes, Labor	27 53	
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Forwarded	\$55 43	\$20,972 01

Brought forward	\$55 43	\$20 972 01
Gove Lumber Co., Lumber	25 13	
G. W. Fitz, Labor and material		
per contract	188 75	
Burnham & Dodd, Labor	23 20	
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE

Salaries and Wages:

B. A. Dodge, Chief	\$ 45 60
Arthur Southwick, Chief	560 00
E. H. Frederick, Special Officer	354 10
G. H. Haraden, Special Officer	97 20
Levi Alexander, Special Officer	32 40
Frank Crowell, Special Officer	5 40
D. H. Knowlton, Special Officer	4 80
John McLean, Special Officer	1 20
A. L. Perley, Special Officer	33 30
Chas. F. Poole, Special Officer	172 00
F. L. Rauscher, Special Officer	29 40
E. H. Sargeant, Special Officer	22 20
Fred Saunders, Special Officer	39 00
R. A. Smerage, Special Officer	8 40
Lester Stanley, Special Officer	6 00
Charles Reed, Special Officer	3 60
Walter Bradstreet, Special Officer	12 00

\$1,426 60

Forwarded

\$1,426 60 \$21,264 52

Brought forward	\$1,426 60	\$21,264 52
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Other Expenses:

Beverly Gas & Elec. Co.,

Light	16 65
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Levi Alexander, Transportation	5 60
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John G. Corcoran, Med. Serv.	2 00
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B. A. Dodge, Auto Hire	2 00
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M. Damsky, Uniform	22 00
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E. Frederick, Transportation	30 00
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Nathan Foster, Stationery	3 20
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Geo. G. Haraden, Auto Hire	2 00
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Hamilton Hdw. Store, Supplies	5 15
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Sidney Hill, Auto Hire	2 00
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E. E. Johnson, Flashlight Bat-

teries and Elec. Bulbs	3 70
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D. H. Knowlton, Postage	9 70
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H. F. Larchez, Med. Serv.	5 00
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H. B. McArdle, Stationery	15 25
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N. E. T. & T. Co., Telephone	112 15
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Nat. Police Officer, Dues	12 50
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Ludivine Marchand, Salem

Police Matron	3 50
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Charles F. Poole, Transpor-

tation	10 80
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Mrs. Pappas, Food	4 20
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E. H. Sargeant, Auto Hire	2 00
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Fred Saunders, Auto Hire	1 50
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Arthur Southwick, Auto Hire	41 00
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Arthur Southwick, Collecting

Dog Tax	30 00
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Forwarded	\$341 90	\$1,426 60	\$21,264 52
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Brought forward	\$341 90	\$1,426 60	\$21,264 52
J. H. Conway, Flashlights	4 00		
A. C. Cummings, Auto Hire	2 00		
C. H. Knowles Co., Batteries	30		
	<hr/>	348 20	
Payments, Police	1,774 80		1,774 80
Receipts, Court Fines	60 00		
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Balance, Net Cost of Dept.	\$1,714 80		

FIRE

Salaries and Wages:

L. E. Anderson	\$48 00
M. N. Babcock	63 50
John A. Brumby	55 00
R. H. Chittick	16 00
A. C. Cummings	22 00
F. C. Cummings	76 00
A. M. Cummings	103 50
John Cross	54 50
Frank Dane	34 50
E. A. DeWitt	47 50
Carl Back	3 00
Richard Bancroft	2 00
Donald Davis	2 00
H. G. Dodd	38 50
B. A. Dodge	29 00
E. P. Dodge	82 75
W. B. Dodge	32 25
E. F. Haley	48 00

Forwarded	<hr/> \$758 00	<hr/> \$23,039 32
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Brought forward	\$758 00	\$23,039 32
G. H. Haraden	36 00	
R. H. Haraden	61 00	
S. C. Hill	40 50	
Jos. Jeddrie	43 50	
E. E. Johnson	27 50	
A. C. Kirby	38 00	
D. H. Knowlton	53 50	
J. Lamson	5 50	
M. S. Lovering	35 00	
A. L. Perley	29 50	
Carl G. Ricker	35 00	
R. A. Smerage	50 00	
F. F. Stillings	62 25	
L. R. Stone	31 50	
Fred McGrath	5 00	
Henry Pfaff	2 00	
E. A. Underhill	21 50	
R. A. Whipple	57 00	
Richard Wilkinson	4 00	
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Other Expenses:

Beverly Gas & Elec. Co., Electric	
Power and Lighting	\$140 46
Brunswick-Balke Collender Co.,	
Equipment	34 85
Helen B. Foster, Typing	3 00
S. C. Gould, Supplies	19 45
W. L. Hatch, Gas and Oil	4 78
A. C. Holland Co., Insurance	173 00

Forwarded	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$375 54	\$1,396 25	\$23,039 32

Brought forward	\$375 54	\$1,396 25	\$23,039 32
D. H. Knowlton, Stamps	5 60		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage,			
Gas and Supplies	57 97		
N. E. T. & T. Co., Telephone	87 20		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	111 00		
A. C. Cummings, Repairs	42 85		
C. H. Knowles Co., Supplies	40 91		
A. M. Cummings, Equipment	200 00		
Grant Crowell, Labor	7 00		
F. P. Trussell, Repairs	25 14		
Gorham Fire Equip Co.,			
Equipment	23 15		
E. P. Dodge, Labor	4 50		
Hamilton Hdw. Store, Sup-			
plies	33 90		
W. B. Dodge, Janitor	200 00		
J. F. Flynn, Repairs	11 61		
Burnham & Dodd, Heating			
Plant	200 00		
American La France Co., Equip-			
ment	14 12		
Wm. Gould, Repairs	24 00		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	32 43		
North Shore Fire Appliance,			
Equipment	44 25		
American Fire Equip. Co.,			
Equipment	51 08		
Fabric Fire Hose Co., Equip-			
ment	152 50		
Forwarded	\$1,744 75	\$1,396 25	\$23,039 32

Brought forward	\$1,744 75	\$1,396 25	\$23,039 32
Seagrave Corp., Equipment	1 00		
John G. Corcoran, Med. Serv.	4 50		
R. W. Armstrong, Food	48 70		
E. E. Johnson, Magazines	9 79		
Clifton Mfg. Co., Coat	10 71		
Portland Rubber Co., Hose	135 00		
Nellie C. Goodridge, Supplies	1 56		
Robert Robertson Co., Repairs	14 65		
J. J. Melanson, Sharpening			
Mower	2 00		
Hamilton Spa, Food	1 40		
Geo. D. Grant, Supplies	2 75		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	10 00		
Carl G. Ricker, Repairs	7 50		
R. H. Haraden, Clerk	50 00		
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FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Salaries and Wages:

Fred Berry, Salary	\$30 00
E. M. Barker, Fighting Forest Fire	19 00
Fred Berry, Fighting Forest Fire	34 00
Francis Whipple, Fighting Forest Fire	1 00
L. Thompson, Fighting Forest Fire	1 00

Forwarded	\$85 00	\$26,479 88
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Brought forward	\$85 00	\$26,479 88
Raymond Tucker, Fighting Forest Fire	10 00	
C. Harvey, Fighting Forest Fire	1 00	
Chester Caverly, Fighting Forest Fire	1 00	
Leslie Whipple, Fighting Forest Fire	1 00	
Other Expenses:		
N. E. T. & T. Co., Telephone	54 93	
F. W. Haines Co., Brooms	14 00	
Gloucester Fire Appliance Co., Hand Pumps	18 73	
		185 66
Payments, Forest Fire Warden	\$185 66	
Receipts, Personal Phone Calls	30 62	
Balance, Net Cost of Department	\$155 04	
	GAME WARDEN	
Frank Bailey, Salary	\$10 00	10 00
	MOTH (TOWN)	
Salaries and Wages:		
R. H. Haraden, Tree Warden	\$873 41	
E. P. Dodge, Labor	119 52	
Fred McGrath, Labor	117 50	
M. N. Babcock, Labor	52 02	
Chas. Harding, Labor	11 00	
Forwarded	\$1,173 45	\$26,675 54

Brought forward	\$1,173 45	\$26,675 54
E. M. Haraden, Labor	29 00	
Other Expenses:		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	170 28	
R. H. Haraden, Expenses to Boston	5 00	
Hamilton-Wenham Garage, Oil, Gas, Grease	73 90	
S. C. Gould, Insecticides	119 60	
Jenney Mfg. Co., Oil and Gas	18 87	
A. M. Cummings, Equipment and Supplies	11 95	
N. E. T. & T. Co., Telephone	21 85	
A. E. Smith, Supplies	9 00	
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas and Oil	48 80	
E. R. Abbott, Teams	123 76	
S. Malone, Equipment	14 75	
Daley's Market, Gas	4 30	
Frost Insecticide Co., Insecti- cide	5 86	
A. C. Cummings, Storage Truck	66 00	
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup- plies	90	
Registrar Motor Vehicles, Registration	2 00	
C. H. Knowles Co., Timebook	15	
		1,899 42
Forwarded		\$28,574 96

Brought forward

\$28,574 96

MOTH (SPECIAL)

Hamilton - Wenham Garage,

Truck \$471 12

S. Malone, Work on Truck 1 25

H. A. Daley, Fire and Theft

Insurance 7 70

 480 07

MOTH (PRIVATE PROPERTY)

Salaries and Wages:

R. H. Haraden \$232 75

E. P. Dodge 187 50

Fred McGrath 218 50

Andrew McCurrach 13 00

M. N. Babcock 31 50

E. M. Haraden 35 00

 \$718 25

Other Expenses:

Acme Mfg. Co., Equipment \$21 90

Frost Insecticide Co., Insecti-
cide 3 28

Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas and Oil 4 40

Fred T. Waugh, Spraying Oil 15 00

Daley's Mkt., Spraying Material 87 03

E. R. Abbott, Team 40 50

S. C. Gould, Spraying Material 166 16

R. H. Chittick, Spraying Ma-
terial 19 70

Forwarded

 \$357 97

 \$718 25

 \$29,055 03

Brought forward	\$357 97	\$718 25	\$29,055 03
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup- plies	4 94		
W. W. Bancroft, Truck	71 25		
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		<hr/>	1,152 41

PETROLEUM INSPECTOR

F. B. Crowell, Salary	\$15 00		
F. B. Crowell, Transportation	10 00		
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SEALER WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

F. B. Crowell, Salary	\$200 00		
F. B. Crowell, Transportation	79 64		
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	12 36		
R. A. Whipple, Trucking	8 00		
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TREE WARDEN

Wages:

R. H. Haraden	\$404 34		
E. P. Dodge	173 00		
F. E. McGrath	198 00		
M. N. Babcock	4 00		
E. M. Haraden	25 50		
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Other Expenses:

Hamilton Hdwe Store, Sup- plies	\$12 24		
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Forwarded	\$12 24	\$804 84	\$30,532 44

Brought forward	\$12 24	\$804 84	\$30,532 44
R. H. Wilkinson, Sharpen- ing Saw	1 00		
Cherry Hill Nurseries, Trees	74 92		
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		<hr/>	893 00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

BOARD OF HEALTH

Salaries:

J. Lamson	\$21 84	
E. A. DeWitt	25 00	
W. H. Woodason	5 20	
A. C. Cummings	39 60	
John H. Perkins	6 28	
J. Lamson, Clerk	10 40	
G. G. Haraden, Clerk	39 60	
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Other Expenses:

E. M. Barker, Milk Inspector	\$ 50 00		
R. A. Whipple, Collection Rubbish	667 40		
R. A. Whipple, Collection Garbage	330 80		
Geo. A. Harrigan, Collection Garbage	756 64		
L. D. Thompson, Labor	1 00		
F. Manthorn, Labor	1 00		
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Forwarded	\$1,806 84	\$147 92	\$31,425 44

Brought forward	\$1,806 84	\$147 92	\$31,425 44
Beverly Hospital, Board and Care	54 50		
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	21 00		
Essex Sanatorium, Board and Care	438 10		
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	75		
John G. Corcoran, Medical Service	234 00		
C. H. Davis, Medical Service	211 00		
Memorial Press, Stationery	2 55		
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	8 75		
City of Lynn, Hospital Expenses	672 00		
E. R. Abbott, Labor	5 00		
City of Salem, Board	481 00		
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INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

E. M. Barker, Inspector Animals	\$75 00	
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ASSESSMENT BY COUNTY

Maintenance Essex Sanatorium	\$1,037 38	
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Forwarded		<hr/>
		\$36,621 23

Brought forward

\$36,621 23

HIGHWAYS

Wages:

F. C. Moynihan, Surveyor	\$1,500 00
Carl Anderson, Labor	83 75
M. N. Babcock, Labor	8 00
Frank Back, Labor	489 25
Harold Back, Labor	30 25
E. Barker, Labor	153 50
E. Barker, Jr., Labor	106 75
Stephen Barron, Labor	322 87
Karl Beale, Labor	4 00
Malcolm Brown, Labor	18 25
Wm. A. Brumby, Labor	226 11
John Burke, Labor	91 50
Peter Burns, Labor	137 75
Thomas Burns, Labor	127 50
W. Buzzell, Labor	18 25
Fred Caldwell, Labor	115 25
Chester Caverly, Labor	36 50
W. E. Cheever, Labor	155 00
W. D. Chisholm, Labor	101 00
W. Clifford, Labor	1 25
Ralph Colwell, Labor	80 00
John Corcoran, Labor	32 25
John Corcoran, Jr., Labor	94 75
James Danforth, Labor	214 86
A. W. Day, Labor	2 00
Horace Day, Labor	31 50
D. DeLuca, Labor	20 50

Forwarded

\$4,202 59

\$36,621 23

Brought forward	\$4,202 59	\$36,621 23
M. Donlon, Jr., Labor	132 00	
Ed. Dwyer, Labor	6 25	
E. Frederick, Labor	36 25	
L. D. Glover, Labor	15 75	
Fred Goodhue, Labor	4 00	
William Gould, Labor	10 25	
C. A. Green, Labor	83 25	
F. Grove, Labor	14 25	
K. Hammond, Labor	6 25	
Gordon P. Haraden, Labor	18 25	
H. E. Harraden, Labor	80 75	
Charles Harding, Labor	4 25	
Chester Harvey, Labor	105 75	
G. W. Hoy, Labor	41 75	
J. J. Hughes, Labor	145 75	
Hollis Hitchings, Labor	22 25	
William Kinsella, Labor	70 50	
Frank Koloski, Labor	26 00	
P. Lamberti, Labor	119 75	
L. Lamson, Labor	2 00	
Chester Landers, Labor	125 75	
Oscar Larrivee, Labor	8 00	
Henry LeBlanc, Labor	18 25	
William McCarthy, Labor	112 75	
A. MacCurrach, Labor	6 25	
J. E. McPherson, Labor	76 75	
A. Maione, Labor	46 75	
F. Maione, Labor	1 75	
Theo. Maione, Labor	396 29	
Forwarded	\$5,940 38	\$36,621 23

Brought forward	\$5,940 38	\$36,621 23
A. Malone, Labor	254 75	
F. Manthorn, Labor	22 25	
Donald Miller, Labor	100 00	
N. S. Mitchell, Labor	18 25	
George W. Morse, Labor	2 00	
William Morse, Labor	2 00	
A. Nickerson, Labor	8 25	
George Noyes, Labor	10 25	
Ed. Peabody, Labor	10 25	
James Rhodes, Labor	142 75	
Henry Ricker, Labor	12 00	
Lloyd E. Ricker, Labor	18 25	
Henry Sanders, Labor	78 00	
Joseph Sanders, Labor	56 25	
Geoffrey Sargeant, Labor	588 00	
Herman Sonia, Labor	121 25	
Fred Stillings, Labor	6 00	
Henry Stone, Labor	459 25	
Alden Southwick, Labor	75	
L. D. Thompson, Labor	3 25	
A. Tremblay, Labor	3 25	
Raymond Tucker, Labor	20 25	
Robert Tucker, Labor	6 25	
Thomas Walsh, Labor	105 75	
H. Wentworth, Labor	10 25	
Francis Whipple, Labor	5 75	
Thomas Wilson, Labor	24 50	
Oscar A. Wood, Labor	111 00	
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Forwarded		<hr/>
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Brought forward	\$8,141 13	\$36,621 23
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Other Expenses:

American Chain Link Fence	
Co., Guard Rail	\$ 8 00
American Oil Products Co.,	
Tarvia	2,915 61
Barrett Co., Road Patching	906 84
Alex Begg, Repairs	52 30
Fred Berry, Truck Hire	10 00
J. A. Brumby, Repairs	41 70
Buffalo Springfield Roller	
Co., Supplies	64 83
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	57
A. M. Cummings, Truck Re-	
pairs	15 65
A. W. Day, Truck Hire	284 36
Francis Dodge, Sand	316 50
Essex County Co-operative	
Farming Assn., Chloride	69 60
Good Roads Machinery Cor-	
poration, Equipment	22 00
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup-	
plies	48 01
Hamilton-Wenham Garage,	
Gas, Oil, Repairs	263 61
W. L. Hatch, Gas, Oil	83 74
A. C. Holland Co., Insurance	1,071 95
Mrs. G. Lamson, Truck Hire	63 75
J. Lamson, Truck Hire	259 37

Forwarded	\$6,498 39	\$8,141 13	\$36,621 23
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Brought forward	\$6,498 39	\$8,141 13	\$36,621 23
Frank Maione, Truck Hire	21 25		
Theo. Maione, Truck Hire	311 99		
S. Malone, Equipment	143 50		
F. C. Moynihan, Expressage	3 06		
T. A. Moynihan, Trucks	963 24		
T. A. Moynihan, Coal for Road Roller	51 75		
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	319 50		
National Contractors Co., Road Patch	115 38		
Northeastern Supply Co., Road Tar	383 57		
Arthur G. Osborn, Oil	7 70		
J. J. Rhodes, Painting Sign	4 50		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas and Oil	67 80		
Alden Southwick, Truck	284 99		
L. D. Thompson, Truck	37 50		
Trimount Oil Co., Road Oil	184 25		
Alfred Weiss, Flowers	10 00		
Welch & Moynihan, Trucks	349 50		
Welch & Moynihan, Stone	21 00		
R. A. Whipple, Truck	55 00		
G. H. Haraden, Cleaning Gutters	25 00		
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Forwarded			<hr/>
			\$54,621 23

Brought forward		\$54,621 23
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Payments, Highway		\$18,000 00
Receipts, Rent of Road Roller		
41 days at \$5.00	\$205 00	
Department Public Works	25 00	
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		\$17,770 00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Mill Street

Wages:

F. Back, Labor	\$11 25
S. Barron, Labor	17 62
E. Barker, Labor	11 25
W. A. Brumby, Labor	17 62
John Burke, Labor	6 50
Peter Burns, Labor	6 50
W. E. Cheever, Labor	15 25
W. D. Chisholm, Labor	6 50
Ralph Colwell, Labor	8 75
John Corcoran, Jr., Labor	11 75
Fred Caldwell, Labor	11 25
James Danforth, Labor	17 62
M. Donlon, Jr., Labor	11 75
W. G. Hoy, Labor	11 75
J. J. Hughes, Labor	14 00
William Kinsella, Labor	11 25
Chester Landers, Labor	36 50
Peter Lamberti, Labor	11 75

Forwarded	\$238 86	\$54,621 23
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Brought forward	\$238 86	\$54,621 23
A. Maione, Labor	2 00	
A. Malone, Labor	11 00	
T. W. Maione, Labor	22 68	
William McCarthy, Labor	35 75	
J. E. McPherson, Labor	4 00	
James Rhodes, Labor	10 00	
Geoffrey Sargeant, Labor	13 50	
Joseph Sanders, Labor	11 25	
H. Sonia, Labor	11 00	
Henry Stone, Labor	11 25	
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Other Expenses:		
T. A. Appleton, Surveying	\$30 00	
F. D. MacDonald, Stakes	1 50	
A. W. Day, Truck Hire	25 62	
J. Lamson, Truck Hire	25 62	
T. W. Maione, Truck Hire	6 75	
T. A. Moynihan, Truck Hire	34 87	
T. A. Moynihan, Stone	4 25	
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<i>Linden Street</i>		
Wages:		
George Manthorn, Labor	\$12 00	
William McCarthy, Labor	12 00	
E. H. Sargeant, Labor	12 00	
M. Donlon, Jr., Labor	12 00	
F. Back, Labor	8 00	
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Forwarded	\$56 00	\$55,121 13

Brought forward

\$56 00 \$55,121 13

Other Expenses:

T. A. Appleton, Surveying	\$ 6 75
L. Johnson, Edgestones	38 41
T. A. Moynihan, Truck Hire	26 50
T. A. Moynihan, Material	5 75
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	7 25
N. W. Hart, Mason	4 20
Brumby's Garage, Repairs	5 00

 93 86

 149 86

SNOW REMOVAL

Wages:

E. Barker, Labor	\$ 30 50
Carl Anderson, Labor	44 00
Frank Back, Labor	159 65
E. Barker, Jr., Labor	148 50
W. Blanchard, Labor	26 00
Chester Baker, Labor	28 25
Ed. Belvieu, Labor	40 00
Richard Bancroft, Labor	57 00
Charles Berry, Labor	28 00
M. N. Babcock, Labor	44 25
Harold Back, Labor	44 25
S. D. Barron, Labor	61 00
Malcolm Brown, Labor	47 25
Thomas Burns, Labor	65 62
Carl Back, Labor	51 25
John Back, Labor	29 75

Forwarded

 \$905 27

 \$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$905 27	\$55,270 99
Frank Buzzell, Labor	35 50	
E. C. Blenkhorn, Labor	8 00	
John Burke, Labor	50 00	
Francis Burns, Labor	39 75	
Peter Burns, Labor	42 75	
J. Bridges, Labor	28 25	
S. P. Barron, Labor	47 75	
Walter Buzzell, Labor	54 00	
Oscar Cahoon, Labor	34 00	
Fred Caldwell, Labor	44 50	
Harry Case, Labor	16 00	
William Caldwell, Labor	7 75	
Francis Cameron, Labor	81 75	
Richard Cameron, Labor	64 50	
Chester Caverly, Labor	45 00	
Luther Caverly, Labor	23 00	
Philip Caverly, Labor	68 25	
Ed. Carter, Labor	22 25	
William Carter, Labor	55 75	
Gerald Colwell, Labor	38 25	
George D. Babcock, Labor	11 00	
Oliver Chute, Labor	22 00	
Hilman Barney, Labor	42 00	
L. C. Blenkhorn, Labor	16 00	
W. E. Cheever, Labor	44 50	
James Chisholm, Labor	40 75	
William Chisholm, Labor	38 00	
M. E. Clarke, Labor	36 25	
Melvin Como, Labor	16 25	
Forwarded	\$1,979 02	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$1,979 02	\$55,270 99
William A. Brumby, Labor	6 75	
Frank Crowell, Labor	14 00	
Ralph Colwell, Labor	51 00	
Grant Crowell, Labor	38 50	
John Corcoran, Labor	35 75	
Blair Crowell, Labor	41 75	
Bernard Cullen, Labor	53 00	
W. Cullen, Labor	44 00	
H. G. Crowell, Labor	8 00	
A. W. Day, Labor	7 50	
E. Dixon, Labor	39 25	
M. Darcy, Jr., Labor	14 00	
John Darcy, Labor	12 00	
Donald Davis, Labor	35 75	
Alvah I. Day, Labor	51 00	
Patsy Divino, Labor	28 75	
Frank Dane, Labor	12 00	
George Dunn, Labor	12 75	
John Dunn, Labor	17 25	
D. DeLuca, Labor	25 75	
E. P. Dodge, Labor	20 25	
Horace Day, Labor	41 75	
Charles Dwyer, Labor	23 50	
William Dixon, Labor	56 75	
B. Dolliver, Labor	61 50	
C. Dolliver, Labor	91 00	
W. F. Dodge, Labor	9 25	
M Donlon, Jr., Labor	62 50	
J. Donlon, Labor	47 00	
Forwarded	\$2,941 27	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$2,941 27	\$55,270 99
H. L. Doucette, Jr., Labor	46 75	
Leroy Doucette, Labor	38 75	
Robert Dunn, Labor	27 00	
George Dunn, Labor	4 00	
F. Fielding, Labor	2 50	
E. Faulkner, Labor	46 25	
John Corcoran, Jr., Labor	16 00	
John Dunn, Labor	8 00	
W. R. Fowler, Jr., Labor	15 75	
R. Emeney, Labor	62 75	
Walter Emeney, Labor	80 50	
Richard Greeley, Labor	7 00	
Lawrence Glover, Labor	34 00	
Warren Gray, Labor	47 25	
J. F. Flynn, Labor	12 00	
John Foster, Labor	14 25	
L. Foster, Labor	39 75	
E. H. Frederick, Labor	72 00	
James Gildart, Labor	31 25	
Hugh Mullins, Labor	3 00	
Fred Goodhue, Labor	47 50	
Thomas Green, Labor	2 25	
C. A. Green, Labor	28 75	
Charles Harding, Labor	77 00	
E. M. Haraden, Labor	80 00	
G. H. Haraden, Labor	100 50	
Gordon Haraden, Labor	103 00	
Herbert Harraden, Labor	35 75	
Richard Harraden, Labor	21 00	
Forwarded	\$4,045 75	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$4,045 75	\$55,270 99
Chester Harvey, Labor	75 50	
Arthur Hoping, Labor	4 75	
Jerry Hawkins, Labor	49 00	
William Hammond, Labor	28 75	
E. Hopping, Labor	6 75	
Carl Haraden, Labor	14 00	
Charles Jones, Labor	31 75	
A. Jones, Labor	2 00	
R. Hilles, Labor	41 00	
Hollis Hitchings, Labor	35 75	
Charles A. Hill, Labor	35 50	
Ed. Laski, Labor	6 00	
John Holtum, Labor	11 00	
William Hoy, Labor	49 75	
H. Hughes, Labor	41 75	
W. Hughes, Labor	35 00	
J. J. Hughes, Labor	40 75	
Roger Barron, Labor	4 00	
Fred Johnson, Labor	4 75	
Harold Jones, Labor	29 25	
Ed. A. Kriete, Labor	4 00	
C. Kirby, Labor	64 00	
C. Kelliher, Labor	8 50	
Thomas Kelliher, Labor	45 75	
Harold Knowlton, Labor	28 00	
Wallace Knowlton, Labor	20 50	
Frank Koloski, Labor	46 25	
Peter Lamberti, Labor	41 50	
Frank Laski, Labor	43 75	
Forwarded	\$4,895 02	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$4,895 02	\$55,270 99
Alex Koloski, Labor	25 25	
Chester Landers, Labor	6 00	
Henry LeBlanc, Labor	44 00	
Emilio Lamberti, Labor	40 75	
Earle McKean, Labor	25 25	
H. Morgan, Labor	16 00	
Earl Mann, Labor	31 50	
O. Lightbody, Labor	16 50	
M. Lovering, Labor	40 25	
Theo. Maione, Labor	185 75	
A. Malone, Labor	30 25	
A. McRae, Labor	7 50	
R. Mehlman, Labor	24 25	
Gordon McColluck, Labor	57 75	
William McDonald, Labor	36 50	
Fred McGrath, Labor	37 75	
J. E. McPherson, Labor	34 75	
E. Miller, Labor	4 00	
N. S. Mitchell, Labor	27 50	
Harry Moore, Labor	72 00	
John Mullins, Labor	17 25	
F. E. Manthorn, Labor	65 00	
Donald Miller, Labor	33 75	
John Mullins, Labor	8 00	
A. MacCurrach, Labor	53 50	
George Morse, Labor	61 50	
John Peterson, Labor	8 00	
L. M. Peterson, Labor	47 75	
G. C. Morris, Labor	35 50	
Forwarded	\$5,988 77	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$5,988 77	\$55,270 99
Ed. Peabody, Labor	53 75	
Frank O'Donnell, Labor	33 25	
Richard Powers, Labor	6 00	
William Morse, Labor	42 00	
Ed. Peabody, Labor	4 00	
Ben Robertson, Labor	7 00	
Guy Leonard, Labor	4 00	
Harold Phillips, Labor	25 50	
Archie Moore, Labor	4 00	
D. F. Moynihan, Labor	70 87	
H. M. Ricker, Labor	36 00	
L. E. Ricker, Labor	23 50	
Archie Rhodes, Labor	29 75	
James Rhodes, Labor	4 50	
E. Rutherford, Labor	48 25	
E. H. Sargeant, Labor	103 25	
Geoffrey Sargeant, Labor	287 75	
Harry Sargeant, Labor	8 00	
Joseph Sanders, Labor	54 75	
Thomas Sargeant, Labor	33 50	
Steve Sargeant, Labor	31 00	
John O'Donnell, Labor	4 25	
Raymond Stone, Labor	20 00	
Roland Stone, Labor	67 75	
Robert Smith, Labor	31 75	
William Smith, Labor	18 25	
William Stevens, Labor	44 25	
Roger Smerage, Labor	18 00	
G. S. Smith, Labor	44 25	
Forwarded	\$7,147 89	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$7,147 89	\$55,270 99
Leslie Smith, Labor	39 50	
Herman Sonia, Labor	22 00	
Fred Stillings, Labor	79 50	
Sidney Smith, Labor	46 00	
A. Stilline, Labor	29 50	
William Stone, Labor	1 75	
Henry Stone, Labor	60 15	
A. Koloski, Labor	4 50	
Raymond Tucker, Labor	50 50	
L. Thompson, Labor	72 50	
Smith Tinkham, Labor	37 75	
A. Tremblay, Labor	39 75	
Robert Tucker, Labor	70 75	
A. Tinkham, Labor	39 25	
A. Upton, Labor	6 00	
Thomas Walsh, Labor	23 25	
R. H. Wilkinson, Labor	100 00	
Richard Wilkinson, Jr., Labor	42 50	
A. Tarr, Labor	37 00	
Edwin Sanders, Labor	32 75	
Thomas Stevens, Labor	14 25	
George Manthorn, Labor	7 50	
W. W. Redmond, Labor	18 00	
L. Varnum, Labor	21 50	
Chester Whipple, Jr., Labor	18 00	
L. K. Whipple, Labor	56 00	
R. W. Porter, Jr., Labor	1 50	
Thomas Wilson, Labor	42 75	
Fred Williams, Labor	37 25	
Forwarded	\$8,199 54	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$8,199 54	\$55,270 99
Roy W. Whipple, Labor	62 25	
Oscar Wood, Labor	39 00	
S. R. Berry, Labor	13 50	
M. Sanford, Labor	21 25	
William Kinsella, Labor	30 75	
David Kinsella, Labor	9 00	
H. Wetson, Labor	23 50	
H. Barney, Labor	31 50	
F. Bell, Labor	35 50	
E. Laski, Labor	7 75	
H. Morgan, Labor	24 00	
G. Biladeau, Labor	9 50	
A. Jones, Labor	27 50	
E. Burchstead, Labor	8 50	
Frank Dagrasta, Labor	18 75	
O. Larabee, Labor	19 00	
Harold Johnson, Jr., Labor	8 50	
Wendall Dodge, Labor	11 50	
Harry Durham, Labor	22 75	
A. E. Grant, Labor	4 75	
Charles Grant, Labor	7 75	
Harold Johnson, Labor	4 75	
William McDonald, Labor	38 50	
C. Beal, Labor	53 00	
H. Dodge, Labor	23 00	
H. Day, Labor	22 00	
F. Sargeant, Labor	3 00	
F. Grove, Labor	19 00	
B. A. Dodge, Labor	23 75	
Forwarded	\$8,823 04	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$8,823 04	\$55,270 99
K. Landers, Labor	4 00	
Raymond Stone, Labor	15 75	
John Saunders, Labor	4 00	
H. S. Fielding, Labor	28 00	
Roger Barron, Labor	20 00	
Harold Johnson, Jr., Labor	10 75	
L. Lamson, Labor	12 50	
Ernest Little, Labor	6 75	
Peter Thimmer, Labor	9 50	
Tony Maione, Labor	4 00	
W. H. Knowlton, Jr., Labor	6 50	
Henry Stilline, Labor	4 75	
James Stilline, Labor	4 75	
A. Lougee, Labor	12 75	
Everett Mitchell, Labor	4 75	
Craige O'Donnell, Labor	6 75	
L. K. Pierce, Labor	7 75	
James Stilline, Labor	7 50	
John Roper, Labor	8 25	
John Adams, Labor	12 50	
Rodney Adams, Labor	18 50	
W. W. Redmond, Labor	8 00	
O. Larabee, Labor	18 00	
G. E. Morriss, Labor	18 50	
A. Moore, Labor	22 00	
Joe Badger, Labor	19 50	
Ed. Stone, Labor	12 75	
William Goodhue, Labor	21 50	
Donald Stevens, Labor	7 50	
Forwarded	\$9,160 79	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$9,160 79		\$55,270 99
Ray Sanford, Labor	8 00		
Francis Dodge, Labor	9 00		
Carl Ricker, Labor	6 00		
A. G. Walker, Labor	4 00		
E. Barchsted, Labor	14 00		
Henry Stilline, Labor	7 50		
		\$9,209 29	
Other Expenses:			
Francis Dodge, Sand	\$30 55		
Louis Dodge, Sand	8 50		
John A. Brumby, Repairs	45 89		
E. A. Abbott, Teams	206 61		
Mack Motor Truck Co., Re- pairs	122 74		
A. C. Cummings, Storage	30 00		
A. C. Cummings, Repairs	21 00		
A. W. Day, Truck	111 87		
George A. Harrigan, Truck	1,538 62		
S. Malone, Repairs	39 50		
Theo. Maione, Truck	92 49		
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	140 61		
J. Lamson, Truck	53 62		
Alden Southwick, Truck	231 87		
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration	2 00		
Hamilton Wenham Garage, Labor, Supplies and Repairs	529 12		
L. D. Thompson, Truck	61 87		
W. L. Hatch, Gas, Oil	89 90		
Forwarded	\$3,356 76	\$9,209 29	\$55,270 99

Brought forward	\$3,356 76	\$9,209 29	\$55,270 99
R. A. Whipple, Truck	1,285 75		
Welch & Moynihan, Truck	2,029 90		
Com. of Mass., P. W. Dept., Supplies	8 03		
W. H. McNeil, Repairs	38 85		
Essex County Co-operative Farming Assn., Calcium Chloride	35 20		
Dyar Sales Machinery Co., Equipment	218 80		
Pike Auto Body Co., Equip- ment	4 00		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas and Oil	13 42		
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STREET LIGHTING

Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Contract	\$8,349 91	
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CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS
PUBLIC WELFARE

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

E. A. DeWitt	\$50 00	
A. C. Cummings	19 80	
J. H. Perkins	6 28	
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Forwarded	\$76 08	\$79,820 90

Brought forward	\$76 08	\$79,820 90
J. Lamson	16 64	
W. H. Woodason	5 20	
	<i>Clerk</i>	
W. H. Woodason	10 40	
George Gibney Haraden	39 60	
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OUTSIDE RELIEF

Beverly Gas & Electric Co.	\$118 52	
Beverly Hospital	443 50	
City of Beverly	2,136 08	
City of Boston	550 16	
Cable Memorial Hospital, Ips- wich	16 00	
Commonwealth of Mass.	208 57	
City of Salem	64 10	
City of Everett	377 43	
Public Welfare Dept., New- buryport	78	
Town of Essex, Aid	400 82	
Town of Stoneham, Aid	61 00	
Massachusetts Hospital School	147 42	
H. G. Cleveland, Funeral	61 21	
Mrs. Nellie Case, Rent	30 00	
Mrs. G. Adams, Rent	50 00	
W. R. Philbin, Medical Service	15 00	
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	20 35	
Dr. L. F. Box, Medical Service	25 00	
Burnham & Dodd, Grate	2 15	
James Clemeno, Shoes	7 25	
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Forwarded	\$4,735 34	\$147 92 \$79,820 90

Brought forward	\$4,735 34	\$147 92	\$79,820 90
J. G. Corcoran, Medical Service	564 10		
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	4 00		
W. J. Daley, P. M., Postage	15 00		
Daley's Mkt., Groceries	464 00		
Charles H. Davis, Med. Service	86 00		
Hamilton Diner, Food	16 65		
Essex Co. Oil Co., Oil	19 75		
S. C. Gould, Groceries	1,044 67		
D. N. Griffin Co., Clothing	35 90		
Dr. H. B. Grushky, Medical Services	156 00		
Hamilton Oil Co., Oil	56 69		
Hamilton Public Mkt., Groceries	91 05		
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	3 05		
H. P. Hood & Sons, Milk	58 39		
Charles G. Hull, Stationery	2 00		
Andrew Jensen, Rent	72 00		
E. E. Johnson, Stationery	3 10		
C. H. Knowles Co., Medicines	109 21		
H. F. Larchez, Medical Service	85 00		
Malkin Motor Freight Co., Freight	10 50		
T. A. Moynihan, Rent	160 00		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	304 61		
T. A. Moynihan, Delivering ERA Coal	217 83		
Nashua Mfg. Co., Supplies	75		
T. H. Odeneal, Medical Service	5 00		
Mrs. Pappas, Food	10 85		
Forwarded	\$8,331 44	\$147 92	\$79,820 90

Brought forward	\$8,331 44	\$147 92	\$79,820 90
F. A. Parish, Medical Services	91 00		
Jennie Pitman, Board and Care	114 29		
Jennie Pratt, Nursing	15 00		
Arthur Peltier, Groceries	30 00		
Frank Maione, Oil	4 00		
Nathaniel Quint, Medicines	15 85		
Rubly Hill Farms, Milk	41 13		
Joseph L. Simon, Rent	40 00		
Visiting Nurse Association of Hamilton and Wenham	5 25		
R. A. Whipple, Moving Furni- ture	96 50		
Whiting Milk Co., Milk	26 55		
Mrs. F. E. Withee, Board	1 00		
Henry Stone, Delivering Com- modities	4 00		
Dr. John D. Adams, Medical Service	25 00		
Allen Fuel Co., Oil	16 81		
M. N. Babcock, Delivering Com- modities	4 00		
Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	3,282 50		
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MOTHERS' AID

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	\$1,297 00	1,297 00
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	\$3,577 00	3,577 00
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Forwarded

\$96,987 14

Brought forward

\$96,987 14

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

STATE AID

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	\$220 00	\$220 00
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SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	\$1,578 00		
Dr. Charles T. Ames, Medical Service	225 50		
Cable Memorial Hospital, Board and Care	20 00		
Dr. John G. Corcoran, Medical Services	48 00		
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	2 00		
Dr. C. R. Hines, Medical Services	50 00		
Dr. H. F. Larchez, Medical Services	56 00		
Newburyport Homeopathic Hospital, Board and Care	206 00		
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SCHOOLS

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

J. D. Whittier, Supt.	\$1,540 00	
Elizabeth A. Pfaff, Clerk	327 60	
B. A. Dodge, Truant Officer	12 50	
E. Frederick, Truant Officer	37 50	
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Forwarded	\$1,917 60	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$1,917 60	\$99,392 64
Telephone	156 89	
J. D. Whittier, Transportation, etc.	34 99	
E. A. Pfaff, Clerk of Board	50 00	
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HEALTH

Florence L. Stobbert, Nurse	\$760 00	
J. G. Corcoran, Physician	300 00	
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JANITOR SERVICE

R. Smerage, High School	\$1,270 85	
James Perron, Elementary	1,300 00	
John Varnum, Walsh School	400 00	
John Foster, Asst. Janitor	59 50	
H. E. Day, Asst. Janitor	2 00	
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TRANSPORTATION

W. W. Bancroft, High	\$1,729 00	
W. W. Bancroft, Elementary	1,729 00	
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TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

American Type Founders Co., High	\$5 27	
American Type Founders Co., Elementary	3 17	
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Forwarded	\$8 44	\$9,709 83 \$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$8 44	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64
Athletic Trainers Supply Co., High	8 75		
Allen Show Print Co., High	24 82		
Allyn & Bacon, High	30 55		
American Book Co., High	46 00		
American Book Co., Elementary	5 06		
American Education Press, Ele- mentary	24 52		
Arlo Publishing Co., Elementary	23 12		
Athletic Equipment Co., High	44 92		
Athletic Equipment Co., Ele- mentary	12 10		
E. E. Babb & Co., High	55 94		
E. E. Babb & Co., Elementary	43 63		
F. J. Barnard Co., Repairs, High	48 91		
Beckley, Cardy Co., Supplies, High	8 53		
Boston Music Co., Supplies, High	4 50		
A. S. Boyle Co., Supplies High	1 50		
Milton Bradley Co., High	13 18		
J. W. Brine Co., High	2 80		
Buff & Buff Mfg. Co., High	6 75		
Cambosco Scientific Co., High	9 44		
Cornix Rubber Co., High	2 45		
Athletic Journal, High	4 00		
Ditto, Inc., Elementary	1 63		
Dow Lumber Co., High	55 24		
Duplicator Supply Co., High	38 09		
Forwarded	\$524 87	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$524 87	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64
H. G. Faulkner & Son, High	85		
University of Iowa, Elementary	25		
Gilman Bros., Inc., High	7 47		
Ginn & Co., High	256 98		
Ginn & Co., Elementary	59 14		
Nellie C. Goodridge, High	6 30		
S. C. Gould, High	101 94		
Gregg Publishing Co., High	37 11		
J. L. Hammett Co., High	76 42		
J. L. Hammett Co., Elementary	112 00		
Harcourt, Brace Co., High	12 40		
D. C. Heath Co., High	25 48		
Holden Patent Book Cover Co., High	14 64		
Houghton Mifflin Co., High	49 10		
Houghton Mifflin Co., Elementary	5 88		
Hub Dry Stencil Co., High	17 56		
Iroquois Publishing Co., Ele- mentary	57		
J. C. Kendall, High	13 75		
C. H. Knowles Co., High	38 23		
C. H. Knowles Co., Elementary	30 00		
J. B. Lippincott Co., High	4 00		
Little, Brown Co., High	2 69		
Longman, Green Co., High	6 61		
Lyons & Carnahan, High	13 14		
Lyons & Carnahan, Elementary	5 05		
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., High	3 08		
Forwarded	\$1,425 51	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$1,425 51	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64
MacMillan Publishing Co., High	35 58		
MacMillan Publishing Co., Elementary	20 00		
North Shore Printing Co., High	3 00		
National Geographic Society, High	3 00		
Papercrafters, Inc., High	9 08		
Perkins Press, High	8 75		
Pitman & Brown Co., High	12 36		
Public School Pub. Co., High	4 38		
Remington Rand Co., High	21 45		
Russo Mfg. Co., High	2 61		
B. H. Sanborn Co., High	12 40		
Scott Foresman & Co., High	14 06		
Chas. Scribner's Sons, High	4 91		
E. C. Shirmer Co., High	13 10		
Silver, Burdett Co., High	2 18		
C. A. Smerage, High	4 80		
Speedway Express Co., High	1 30		
Standard Scientific Supply Co., High	39 17		
Stanley Rule & Level Co., High	19 56		
Teachers College, N. Y., High	2 61		
University Pub. Co., Elementary	12 91		
Quality Press, High	22 00		
Quality Press, Elementary	17 00		
Webster Publishing Co., High	2 27		
John C. Winston & Co., High	38 23		
World Book Co., High	5 09		
Forwarded	\$1,757 31	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$1,757 31	\$9,709 83	\$99,392 64
Wright & Potter Print Co., High	7 97		
Zaner Blosser Co., High	3 88		
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MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

J. D. Barnes, Repairs	\$10 41		
Alex. Begg, Repairs	8 70		
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	92 76		
W. H. Cann, Repairs	84 54		
W. B. Chase, Repairs	4 17		
M. E. Clarke, Repairs	2 00		
John Cross, Repairs	180 01		
F. L. Cushman, Repairs	1 50		
J. F. Flynn, Repairs	17 55		
Gulf Refining Co., Janitors'			
Supplies	4 50		
Hamilton Wenham Garage,			
Supplies	2 19		
William Hoy, Labor	4 00		
Ipswich Laundry, Laundry	1 13		
C. M. Jackman, Janitors' Sup-			
plies	18 00		
Frank Koloski, Labor	8 00		
F. D. MacDonald, Repairs	46 29		
J. J. Melanson, Repairs	1 50		
H. A. Phillips, Repairs	21 00		
E. A. Philinte Co., Repairs	7 00		
Reformatory for Women, Jani-			
tors' Supplies	7 43		
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Forwarded	\$522 68	\$11,478 99	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$522 68	\$11,478 99	\$99,392 64
R. Robertson Co., Plumbing			
Supplies	28 01		
Stanley Newman Corp., Repairs	24 00		
Sentry Products Co., Janitors'			
Supplies	16 34		
A. O. Smith, Repairs	22 05		
Elmer Smith, Repairs	24 00		
Arthur Southwick, Repairs	4 50		
State Prison, Janitors' Supplies	22 49		
Fred Stillings, Labor	1 90		
R. S. Stone, Sharpening Lawn			
Mower	1 00		
L. C. Thayer, Labor	17 00		
Henry Tobyne, Labor	2 25		
Frank P. Trussell, Repairs	50 80		
Vestal Chemical Laboratories,			
Janitors' Supplies	6 85		
F. E. Vincent Co., Supplies	100 75		
R. A. Whipple, Trucking Ashes	60 00		
George W. Fitz, Repairs	11 38		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup-			
plies, High	102 41		
T. A. Moynihan, Supplies, High	9 60		
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FUEL AND LIGHT

Beverly Gas & Electric Co.,			
Current	\$563 19		
T. A. Moynihan, Coal	156 81		
Forwarded	\$720 00	\$12,507 00	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$720 00	\$12,507 00	\$99,392 64
North Shore Gas Co., Gas	27 99		
Pickering Coal Co., Coal	1,234 42		
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FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS

H. M. Bixby Co.,	\$56 56		
International Business Mach. Co.	10 00		
Royal Typewriter Co.	106 00		
F. R. Schaller, Tuning Piano	5 00		
Wm. G. Webber Co.	4 00		
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OTHER EXPENSES

R. W. Payne, Misc. Expenses	\$10 15		
Citizens Printing Co., Graduation	8 00		
A. C. Cummings, Trucking	2 50		
Hamilton High School, Misc. Expenses	2 02		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	11 00		
Haines Corp., Graduation	5 70		
Ida C. Lucas, Intelligence Test	6 00		
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TEACHERS' PAY ROLL

Nelly G. Cutting	\$1,550 00		
Marion S. Batchelder	1,330 00		
Marjorie Underhill	997 50		
Marion C. Joseph	1,235 00		
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Forwarded	\$5,112 50	\$14,716 34	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$5,112 60	\$14,716 34	\$99,392 64
Margaret K. Batchelder	1,235 00		
Ellen M. Duffy	1,235 00		
Anna Barron	250 64		
Wilhelmenia Ready	884 46		
Edith M. Anderson	1,377 50		
Hazel E. Ramer	1,600 00		
Laura W. Boyd	1,662 50		
Frank J. Malone	1,329 50		
Bessie F. McRae	1,425 00		
J. Dorothy Ward	1,377 50		
Roland W. Payne	2,500 00		
Evelin D. Hagglund	1,094 36		
Thelma Bailey	168 00		
Madeline Featherstone	313 32		
George W. Bowden	438 64		
Bryce B. Walton	376 00		
Maude L. Thomas	100 00		
Grace A. Jenkins	50 00		
Mass. Retirement Assn.	1,132 50		
Marion Webb	12 00		
Ruth Barker	764 00		
Forest Branch	764 00		
Bernard Cullen	8 00		
Beatrice Holmes	36 00		
Doris Foster	6 00		
Lawrence Foster	8 00		
Blanche Mason	16 00		
Kathryn Nickerson	8 00		
Nelson H. Progin	1,018 68		
Forwarded	\$26,303 10	\$14,716 34	\$99,392 64

Brought forward	\$26,303 10	\$14,716 34	\$99,392 64
Georgia Reed	8 00		
Blanche Mason	2 00		
Katherine Malone	547 86		
	<hr/>	26,860 96	
		<hr/>	41,577 30

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

SCHOOL SPECIAL

City of Beverly, Industrial School	\$93 25	\$93 25
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DOMESTIC SCIENCE

R. Robertson Co., Sink	\$ 72 76		
Kewaunee Mfg. Co., Pump	438 90		
	<hr/>	511 66	
		<hr/>	604 91

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries:

Lydia L. Haraden	\$375 00		
Jennie S. Perley	250 00		
	<hr/>	\$625 00	

Other Expenses:

John Rhodes, Repairs	\$ 87 60		
William Gould, Repairs	84 00		
Soteros Apostalokis, Rent Branch Library	330 00		
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Forwarded	\$501 60	\$625 00	\$141,574 85
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Brought forward	\$501 60	\$625 00 \$141,574 85
American Library Co., Books	5 25	
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	20 01	
W. A. Butterfield, Books	51 43	
H. M. Bixby Co., Shades	14 11	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	10 00	
C. Putnam Lumber Co., Supplies	3 84	
W. J. Daley, P. M., Postage	2 35	
Daley's Market, Supplies	91	
L. L. Haraden, Extra Labor	50 00	
L. L. Haraden, Misc. Expenses	21 90	
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup- plies	66 40	
E. E. Johnson, Magazines	65 25	
Junior Literary Guild, Books	148 00	
Dow Lumber Co., Supplies	11 79	
C. H. Knowles Co., Magazines	44 45	
Pauline Gould, Services	36 00	
Literary Guild of America, Books	42 00	
Virginia Lyons, Books	124 50	
Jean Karr, Books	9 35	
W. B. Dodge, Extra Janitor Service	6 00	
E. M. Haraden, Labor	14 50	
Mass. Library Guild, Dues	2 00	
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	9 50	
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel for Branch	13 00	
Forwarded	\$1,274 14	\$625 00 \$141,574 85

Brought forward	\$1,274 14	\$625 00	\$141,574 85
N. E. News Co., Magazines	175 60		
Chas. Scribner's Sons, Books	25 00		
W. F. Quarrie & Co., Books	10 00		
Schlehuber Catering Co., Lunches	4 20		
Gaylord Bros., Inc., Equip- ment	69 84		
Pitman & Brown Co., Lumber	3 44		
Alden Webb, Supplies	4 50		
Educational Service Bureau, Books	10 40		
Jenny S. Perley, Janitor Serv- ices	25 00		
A. C. Cummings, Trucking	6 50		
	<hr/>	1,608 62	
		<hr/>	2,233 62

SPECIAL LIGHTING

Pettingell, Andrews Co., Fixtures	\$55 30		
Chas. E. McQueeney, Elec. Work	54 40		
	<hr/>		109 70

RECREATION

PARKS

James Kinsella, Transplanting Shrubs	\$13 00		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Sup- plies	15 88		
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Forwarded	\$28 88	\$143,918 17	

Brought forward	\$28 88	\$143.918 17
J. J. Melanson, Sharpening		
Mower	2 00	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	5 00	
George Morse, Labor	66 00	
William Morse, Labor	40 00	
	<hr/>	141 88

UNCLASSIFIED

MEMORIAL DAY

Beverly Post No. 12 Drum		
Corps	\$100 00	
Annunciation Drum Corps	50 00	
Hamilton Gardens	30 00	
Disabled Ex-Service Men's Ex-		
change	9 00	
Dorothy Greeley, Typing	9 00	
	<hr/>	198 00

TOWN REPORTS

Ruth Bancroft, Typing	\$37 50	
W. J. Daley, P. M., Postage	12 00	
E. M. Haraden, Labor	4 00	
Lightning Dispatch, Expressage	4 00	
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	489 53	
W. W. Bancroft, Postage	15 55	
	<hr/>	562 58
Forwarded		<hr/> \$144,820 63

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Brought forward	\$144,820 63
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TOWN CLOCK

Lewis B. Norton, Care of Clock	\$50 00	
E. O. Maxwell, Repair of Clock	30 00	
W. W. Bancroft, Repair of Clock	70 00	
	<hr/>	150 00

AMERICAN LEGION

Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Rent	\$220 00	
Beverly Gas & Elec. Co., Light	15 00	
	<hr/>	235 00

INSURANCE

Obrion, Russell & Co., Town		
Buildings	\$1,056 67	1,056 67

BOILER INSURANCE

H. A. Daley	\$97 34	97 34
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CEMETERY

Salaries of Commissioners:

L. E. Anderson	\$15 00	
L. B. Norton	15 00	
R. A. Whipple	15 00	
L. E. Anderson, Clerk	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 95 00
R. H. Wilkinson, Supt.	\$881 50	881 50
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Forwarded	\$976 50	\$146,359 64

Brought forward	\$976 50	\$146,359 64
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Other Expenses:

T. A. Appleton, Surveying	\$86 50
A. J. Barton & Son, Cleaning Monuments	20 00
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Current	12 50
Burnham & Dodd, Supplies	5 45
American Oil Products Co., Road Tar	119 37
Alex. Begg, Repairs Truck	2 50
W. F. Dodge, Sand	12 00
Richard Cameron, Flowers	2 25
Chronicle Pub. Co., Printing	4 25
W. J. Daley, P. M., Postage	11 60
Daley's Market, Gas	3 20
W. E. Deshon, Gravel	7 50
A. M. Cummings, Repair Truck	75
Geo. W. Fitz, Electric Pump	103 14
A. M. Goodridge, Labor	16 00
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	48 93
Hamilton Gardens, Plants	25 00
Hamilton Wenham Garage, Truck Repairs	1 20
O. A. Duquette, Equipment	14 05
Davis Hdwe. Store, Supplies	3 98
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	5 50
T. A. Moynihan, Cement	6 75
S. Malone, Repairs	3 20

Forwarded	\$515 62	\$976 50	\$146,359 64
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Brought forward	\$515 62	\$976 50	\$146,359 64
C. H. Knowles Co., Rat Poison	50		
L. B. Norton, Toll	5 00		
Pitman & Brown Co., Tile	12 60		
J. J. Rhodes, Lettering Truck	2 50		
Sellman's Filling Station,			
Gas and Oil	42 60		
Silver's Supply Co., Pipe	29 25		
R. S. Stone, Sharpening Mower	2 00		
Frank E. Verry, Lumber	15 00		
R. A. Whipple, Gravel	19 75		
R. Cameron, Labor	4 00		
E. H. Sargeant, Labor	8 00		
	<hr/>	656 82	
		<hr/>	1,633 32

INTEREST

R. L. Day & Co., Interest on			
Temporary Loan	\$1,007 67		
Day Trust Co., Interest on			
Temporary Loan	403 75		
Day Trust Co., Interest East			
School Bonds	67 50		
Merchants National Bank,			
Interest High School Bonds	3,325 00		
Day Trust Co., Interest Essex			
County Tuberculosis Hospital	34 44		
	<hr/>	4,838 36	
Forwarded		<hr/>	\$152,831 32

Brought forward	\$152,831 32
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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

New High School Loan	\$6,000 00	
A. D. Walsh School Loan	1,000 00	
Tuberculosis Hospital Loan	1,000 00	
		8,000 00
Temporary Loans:		
Anticipating Revenue	\$80,000 00	\$80,000 00

AGENCY AND TRUST (AGENCY)

County of Essex, Dog Licenses	\$574 00	
County of Essex, County Tax	6,174 32	
Com. of Mass., State Tax	7,600 00	
Com. of Mass., State Audit	302 22	
Com. of Mass., Chapter 117,		
G. L.	28 00	
Com. of Mass., State Parks	39 17	
Com. of Mass., Nat. Bk. Tax		
1932	22	
Com. of Mass., Nat. Bk. Tax		
1933		14,751 36

AGENCY AND TRUST (TRUST)

Salem Five Cents Savings Bank		
Sale of Cemetery Lots	\$280 00	
Beverly Savings Bank, Endow-		
ment Cemetery Lots	300 00	
		580 00
Forwarded		\$256,162 68

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Brought forward	\$256,162 68
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ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Max Bookstein, Refund License	\$200 00	
Daley's Market, Refund License	50 00	
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REFUNDS—MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX

Sundry Persons	\$134 32	134 32
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REFUND OF TAXES

Sundry Persons	\$494 95	494 95
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		\$257,041 95

BALANCES

Cash, December 31, 1934	2,135 66
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	\$259,177 61

TRANSFERS

(RESERVE FUND)

1934		1934	
June 23	Water Committee	\$174 32	Mar. 13 Appropriation \$1,500 00
Aug. 14	Town Reports	12 58	
Nov. 1	Town Clock	100 00	
Dec. 28	Election and Reg-		
	istration	203 90	
	Town Hall	179 06	
	Fire Dept.	640 56	
	State Aid	20 00	
	Soldiers' Relief	157 50	
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	Total Transfers	\$1,487 92	
Dec. 31	Balance	12 08	
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		\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00

TOWN OF HAMILTON

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1934

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Cash:		Tailings	\$111 52
In Banks and Office		Overpayment—Taxes, 1933	11 15
Accounts Receivable:	\$2,135 66	Surplus, War Bonus Fund	965 37
Taxes:		Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund	10 00
Levy of 1934		Special State Tax, Old Age Assistance	15 00
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		Appropriation Balances	1,231 29
Levy of 1933	\$13 83	Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus	12,497 83
Levy of 1934	733 46	Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
		Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	\$747 29
Special Assessments:		Special Assessment	142 51
Moist, 1934		Tax Title	1,312 98
Tax Titles	142 51	Departmental	4,253 73
Departmental:			
Health	\$474 92	Surplus Revenue	6,456 51
Public Welfare:			21,484 54
Temporary Aid	2,993 80		
Mothers' Aid	445 67		
Old Age Assistance	119 34		
State Aid	220 00		
	4,253 73		
Overlay Deficit, 1934:			
To be provided for by Assessors	541 83		
Revenue Deficit, 1934	5,239 80		
	\$42,783 21		\$42,783 21

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$102,000 00	Essex County Hospital Loan	\$9,000 00
		East School Loan	1,000 00
		High School Building Loan	92,000 00
	\$102,000 00		\$102,000 00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Dr. Justin Allen Library Fund	\$525 37
Cash and Securities	\$17,409 43	H. Augusta Dodge Library Fund	1,000 10
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	12,405 92
		Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund	3,153 05
		Maxwell Norman Fund	324 99
	\$17,409 43		\$17,409 43

RECAPITULATION OF DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES

	Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
Civil Works Project 1216	\$ 469 63	\$ 467 18	\$ 2 45
Selectmen	1,200 00	1,078 55	121 45
Selectmen (Unemployment Acct.)	7,954 46	7,673 56	
Accounting	1,300 00	1,299 60	40
Treasury	1,000 00	998 50	1 50
Collector	1,200 00	1,199 26	74
Assessors	1,800 00	1,798 06	1 94
Other Finance Accounts	20 00	8 00	12 00
Law	200 00	200 00	
Town Clerk	650 00	646 41	3 59
Election and Regis- tration	\$1,200 00		
From Reserve	203 90		
	<hr/> 1,203 90	1,203 90	
Town Hall	\$2,000 00		
From Reserve	179 06		
	<hr/> 2,179 06	2,179 06	
Town Hall, Special Heating	300 00	292 51	7 49
Water Committee (From Reserve)	174 32	174 32	
Water Supply Tank (B. & M. R.R.)	3,000 00	2,049 61	
Police	1,800 00	1,774 80	25 20
Fire Department	\$2,800 00		
From Reserve	640 56		
	<hr/> 3,440 56	3,440 56	
Sealer	300 00	300 00	
Petroleum Inspector	25 00	25 00	
Moth (Town)	1,900 00	1,899 42	58
Moth (Private Property)	1,200 00	1,145 41	54 59
Moth (Special New Truck)	500 00	480 07	19 93

	Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
Tree Warden	900 00	900 00	
Forest Fire Warden	200 00	185 66	14 34
Game Warden	15 00	10 00	5 00
Health	4,200 00	4,008 41	191 59
Maintenance Essex Sanatorium	1,037 38	1,037 38	
Inspector of Animals	75 00	75 00	
Highway	18,000 00	18,000 00	
Snow	16,200 00	16,200 00	
Street Lighting	8,350 00	8,349 91	09
Mill Street Drainage	500 00	499 90	10
Linden Street Sidewalk	150 00	149 86	14
Public Welfare	17,500 00	17,161 24	338 76
State Aid	\$200 00		
From Reserve	20 00		
	<hr/> 220 00	220 00	
Soldiers' Relief	\$2,000 00		
From Reserve	157 50		
	<hr/> 2,157 50	2,157 50	
Schools	41,925 47	41,577 30	348 17
School, Vocational Training	200 00	93 25	106 75
School, Domestic Science Special	600 00	511 66	88 34
Public Library	\$2,100 00		
Interest Trust Funds	133 62		
	<hr/> 2,233 62	2,233 62	
Public Library Special Lighting	200 00	109 70	90 30
Parks	150 00	141 88	8 12
Memorial Day	300 00	198 00	102 00
Town Reports	\$550 00		
From Reserve	12 58		
	<hr/> 562 58	562 58	

		Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
Town Clock	\$ 50 00			
From Reserve	100 00			
	<hr/>	150 00	150 00	
American Legion		250 00	235 00	15 00
Reserve Fund		1,500 00	1,487 92	12 08
Boiler Insurance		150 00	97 34	52 66
Insurance Fund		1,200 00	1,056 67	143 33
Cemetery	\$1,600 00			
Interest Trust Funds	33 50			
	<hr/>	1,633 50	1,633 32	18
Interest		5,100 00	4,838 36	261 64
Maturing Debt		8,000 00	8,000 00	
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Balance Appropriations Unexpended				\$2,030 45

The following balances have been set up to be used in 1935:

Selectmen (Unemployment Acct.)	\$280 90
Water Supply Tank (B. & M. R. R.)	950 39
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	\$1,231 29

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

December 31, 1934

NAME	Endowment	Balance Jan. 1, 1934	Receipts 1934	Payments 1934	Balance Dec. 31, 1934
Abbott, M. K.	\$200 00	\$292 19	\$10 31	\$15 00	\$287 50
Allen, Albert F.	100 00	108 89	3 82	4 00	108 71
Allen, J. A.	300 00	497 75	17 56	10 00	505 31
Allen, Dr. Justin	100 00	108 89	3 82	4 00	108 71
Andrews, Horace E.	100 00	116 29	4 09	4 00	116 38
Austin, Delia	100 00	105 01	3 71	3 00	105 72
Ayers, Fred H.	100 00	109 35	3 86	4 00	109 21
Ayers Fund	150 00	184 04	6 49	5 00	185 53
Bean, Ellen A.	100 00	123 58	4 34	5 00	122 92
Bradstreet, John	200 00	235 81	8 34	5 00	239 15
Brewer, Alice E.	100 00	108 08	3 81	3 00	108 89
Brown, Elizabeth S.	100 00	112 57	3 96	4 00	112 53
Burnham, Amos	100 00	112 38	3 96	5 00	111 34
Burnham, Choate	175 00	189 83	6 69	10 00	186 52
Burton, F. J. & P. W.	100 00	107 82	3 78	3 00	108 60
Butler, N. B.	100 00	109 05	3 83	4 00	108 88
Chadwick, Alden	100 00	111 18	3 94	4 00	111 12
Chandler, William D.	100 00	109 51	3 86	4 00	109 37
Colwell, Ernest G.	100 00	108 11	3 82	3 00	108 93
Crowell, Frank B.	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00
Crowley, Bertha	100 00	102 32	3 62	.....	105 94
Cutler, Temple (New)	75 00	82 93	2 90	3 00	82 83
Cutler, Temple (Old)	75 00	85 26	2 99	4 00	84 25
Dane, Ephraim A.	100 00	108 75	3 81	4 00	108 56
Dane, Francis	1000 00	1,119 30	39 50	10 00	1,148 80
Dane, Joseph F.	100 00	107 40	3 78	3 00	108 18
Dane, Luther	100 00	116 96	4 10	5 00	116 06
Davenport, Jabez K.	100 00	107 49	3 78	3 00	108 27

NAME	Endowment	Balance Jan. 1, 1934	Receipts 1934	Payments 1934	Balance Dec. 31, 1934
Dodge, Edward W.	100 00	110 26	3 88	4 00	110 14
Dodge, H. Augusta	200 00	326 88	11 52	10 00	328 40
Dodge, James E.	100 00	115 61	4 06	6 00	113 67
Dodge, Joseph W.	100 00	108 26	3 82	4 00	108 08
Dodge, Joseph T.	150 00	....	....	....	150 00
Dufton, Joseph W.	100 00	111 62	3 92	5 00	110 54
Ellis, Emily	100 00	111 20	3 94	5 00	110 14
Elwell, John E. and Gertrude	100 00	114 87	4 05	5 00	113 92
Fillebrown, Howard E.	50 00	55 52	1 94	3 00	54 46
Gamboia, Joseph	100 00	104 57	3 70	2 00	106 27
Gleason, William H.	100 00	109 80	3 85	4 00	109 65
Goodhue, Samuel G.	100 00	107 49	3 78	3 00	108 27
Graham, Charles E.	50 00	55 52	1 94	3 00	54 46
Haynes, George T.	100 00	111 15	3 90	4 00	110 55
Hayes, Olivia E.	100 00	109 95	3 86	4 00	109 81
Henry, Mary R.	75 00	84 05	2 96	4 00	83 01
Hobbs, Franklin	100 00	106 88	3 77	3 00	107 65
Horne, Thomas	100 00	117 80	4 13	6 00	115 93
Kimball, Susan A.	150 00	163 75	5 75	6 00	163 50
Kinsman, Jacob	100 00	116 41	4 10	6 00	114 51
Knowlton, Clarence S.	100 00	102 05	3 59	....	105 64
Knowlton, George K.	100 00	118 53	4 16	6 00	116 69
Knowlton, Isaac F.	200 00	263 44	9 29	8 00	264 73
Knowlton, John H.	100 00	108 88	3 83	3 00	109 71
Knowlton, Joseph	100 00	108 35	3 83	3 00	109 18
Lovering, J. P.	100 00	116 36	4 09	4 00	116 45
Lovering, Myrtle B.	100 00	103 79	3 66	....	107 45
Mason, Arthur	100 00	119 43	4 20	5 00	118 63
MacDonald, Alexander	100 00	101 46	3 58	....	105 04
MacDonald, Robert	100 00	109 27	3 86	4 00	109 13
MacNeil, Hattie S.	100 00	112 98	3 95	4 00	112 93
Nason, Daniel A.	100 00	103 03	3 63	....	106 66

NAME	Endowment	Balance Jan. 1, 1934	Receipts 1934	Payments 1934	Balance Dec. 31, 1934
Neal, George A.	50 00	53 20	1 86	....	55 06
Neal, Niram	50 00	50 70	1 80	....	52 50
Norton, Francis C.	150 00	151 75	5 37	....	157 12
Patch, Emeline	100 00	107 99	3 78	3 00	108 77
Patch, Laura S.	100 00	111 02	3 90	5 00	109 92
Peterson, Charles A.	100 00	111 06	3 92	5 00	109 98
Porter, Benjamin	100 00	109 71	3 86	4 00	109 57
Preston, Thomas	100 00	108 63	3 81	3 00	109 44
Proctor, James H.	300 00	446 26	15 82	5 00	457 08
Roberts, Daniel	100 00	114 03	4 03	5 00	113 06
Roberts, George E.	100 00	105 07	3 71	....	108 78
Rogers, Charles, Jr.	100 00	....	58	....	100 58
Rowe, Mary	100 00	103 03	3 63	....	106 66
Safford, Daniel E.	100 00	110 35	3 89	4 00	110 24
Smerage, Charles A.	100 00	103 03	3 63	....	106 66
Stone, Daniel D.	100 00	108 25	3 83	3 00	109 08
Thayer, Samuel E.	100 00	109 43	3 86	4 00	109 29
Thompson, Mary E.	150 00	160 06	5 67	4 00	161 73
Townsend, William E.	100 00	109 09	3 85	3 00	110 44
Trefry, Henry G.	100 00	104 18	3 69	....	107 87
Trussell, Frank P.	150 00	171 10	6 06	5 00	172 16
Tuttle, John	100 00	110 76	3 88	4 00	110 64
Whipple, Albert M.	100 00	107 35	3 78	3 00	108 13
Whipple, Emerson A.	100 00	107 97	3 80	3 00	108 77
Whipple, Hannah M.	100 00	109 00	3 84	4 00	108 84
Whipple, L. D.	100 00	112 94	3 96	4 00	112 90
Whittredge, John	100 00	109 40	3 86	4 00	109 26
Wilson, James	100 00	110 66	3 90	4 00	110 56
Woodbury, John L.	100 00	108 33	3 83	4 00	108 16
Woodbury, John T.	100 00	109 40	3 86	4 00	109 26
	<u>\$10,750 00</u>	<u>\$12,023 65</u>	<u>\$424 27</u>	<u>\$342 00</u>	<u>\$12,405 92</u>

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Savings Bank Deposits at beginning of year.....	\$12,023 65
Savings Bank Deposits at end of year	12,405 92

RECEIPTS

Deposits for Endowment	\$300 00
Income	424 27
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	\$724 27

PAYMENTS

Care of Lots	\$342 00
Added to Savings Deposits	382 27
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	\$724 27

INVESTMENT FUNDS

SPECIAL CEMETERY FUNDS

	Cash in Gen. Treas.	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1934	\$60 00	\$2,773 31	\$2,833 31
On hand at end of year 1934	10 00	3,153 05	3,163 05

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Income	\$ 99 74	Added to savings de-	
Sale of lots	230 00	posits	\$379 74
Cash on hand at begin-		Cash on hand at end	
ning of year	60 00	of year	10 00
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	\$389 74		\$389 74

MAXWELL NORMAN FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1934	\$313 93	\$313 93
On hand at end of year 1934	324 99	324 99

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Income	\$11 06	Added to savings de-	
		posits	\$11 06
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	\$11 06		\$11 06

PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

DR. JUSTIN ALLEN FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1934	\$526 71	\$526 71
On hand at end of year 1934	525 37	525 37

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Withdrawn from sav-		Transferred to Town	\$20 00
ings deposits	\$1 34		
Income	18 66		
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	\$20 00		\$20 00

H. AUGUSTA DODGE FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1934	\$1,075 77	\$1,075 77
On hand at end of year 1934	1,000 10	1,000 10

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Withdrawn from sav-		Transferred to Town	\$113 62
ings deposits	\$75 67		
Income	37 95		
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	\$113 62		\$113 62

CONCLUSION

The past year has been a trying one for all Town Officials.

The work in every department has shown a constant increase.

There have been a great many changes in the General Laws adding extra duties to all departments.

I wish at this time to thank the members of all departments for the splendid co-operation and assistance rendered me during the past year.

For further information regarding the Accountant's Report you are referred to the report of the State Audit which follows.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN,

Town Accountant.

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton,

GREETINGS:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 35, of the General Laws, I submit herewith the annual report of the Treasury Department for the year ending December 31, 1934.

TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1934	\$ 12,534 37	
Receipts	246,889 36	
	<hr/>	\$259,423 73
Payments	\$257,288 07	
Balance December 31, 1934:		
Merchants National Bank,		
Salem	\$571 56	
Naumkeag Trust Company,		
Salem	724 01	
Cash on hand	840 09	
	<hr/>	2,135 66
		<hr/> \$259,423 73

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, SALEM

Balance December 31, 1934, per statement,	\$3,684 04
Balance December 31, 1934, per check book \$	571 56
Outstanding checks December 31, 1934,	
per list	3,112 48
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	\$3,684 04

NAUMKEAG TRUST COMPANY, SALEM

Balance December 31, 1934, per statement	\$1,166 18
Balance December 31, 1934, per check book	\$724 01
Outstanding checks December 31, 1934,	
per list	442 17
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	\$1,166 18

I wish to express my appreciation to the Boards and various officials of the Town for the co-operation they have extended to this department during the past year.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE E. SMITH,
Town Treasurer.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS
AND TAXATION

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS

REPORT OF AN AUDIT

OF

THE ACCOUNTS

OF THE

TOWN OF HAMILTON

FOR

The Fiscal Year Ending DECEMBER 31, 1934

Made in Accordance with the Provisions of
Chapter 44, General Laws

January 17, 1935

REPORT OF AN AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION
DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON

January 17, 1935

To the Board of Selectmen

Mr. John H. Perkins, Chairman
Hamilton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the accounts of the town of Hamilton for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1934, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. This report is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL

Director of Accounts

REPORT OF EXAMINER

MR. THEODORE N. WADDELL

Director of Accounts

Department of Corporations and Taxation

State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Hamilton for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1934, and submit the following report thereon.

The books and records in the town accountant's office were examined, the recorded receipts being compared with the treasurer's record of receipts and the expenditures being checked with the treasurer's record of payments and with the selectmen's warrants.

The ledger accounts were analyzed, the appropriations as recorded being compared with the town clerk's record of town meeting votes and with the amounts raised by the assessors. The commitments of taxes and assessments as entered on the ledger were compared with the assessors' warrants authorizing the collection of taxes.

A trial balance was drawn off, proving the ledger to be in balance and a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on December 31, 1934, was prepared and is appended to this report.

As may be seen from the appended balance sheet, there is a revenue deficit for the year 1934 amounting to \$5,239.80, which should be provided for by the town in 1935. This deficit is due to the fact that the amount estimated by the assessors to be received from sources other than taxation and loans and used by

them as a deduction from the amount to be raised by taxation in 1934 exceeded the amount actually collected from these sources during 1934 by \$7,600. This deficit in the estimated receipts account was partly offset by unexpended appropriation balances of 1934, resulting in a net revenue deficit of \$5,239.80, as mentioned above.

The books and accounts in the town treasurer's office were also examined and checked. The receipts, as shown on the cash book, were analyzed and checked with the records of departmental payments to the treasurer and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the recorded disbursements were checked with the treasury warrants and with the town accountant's books and records.

The cash balance on December 31, 1934, was verified by a reconciliation of statements furnished by the banks of deposit.

The payments on account of debt and interest were verified by a comparison with the amounts falling due and with the canceled bonds and coupons on file.

The savings bank books representing the investments of the several trust funds were examined and checked, the income and expenditures being verified and found to be as recorded.

Appended to this report is a table showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, as well as summaries of the transactions and condition of the trust funds.

The records of the tax collector were also examined and checked in detail. The commitment lists were added and compared with the assessors' warrants, the collections as posted were checked with the cash book record of receipts, and the payments to the treasurer were verified. The recorded abatements were checked with the assessors' record of abatements granted and the outstanding taxes and assessments were listed and proved to the accountant's ledger.

Further verification of the outstanding accounts was made by

mailing notices to a large number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

Appended to this report are tables showing summaries of the tax, motor vehicle excise tax, and assessment accounts.

The financial records of the town clerk were examined, the receipts on account of dog and sporting licenses and the payments to the town treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game being verified.

The record of receipts of the sealer of weights and measures were examined, the field book being checked with the cash book and the payments to the treasurer being verified.

The records of all other departments wherein money was collected for the town were examined and compared with the treasurer's and the accountant's books.

The surety bonds furnished by the several officials for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

During the progress of the audit, co-operation was received from all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE

Assistant Director of Accounts

RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1934,	\$ 12,534 37	
Receipts 1934,	246,889 36	
		\$259,423 73
Payments 1934,	\$257,288 07	
Balance December 31, 1934:		
Merchants National Bank,		
Salem,	\$571 56	
Naumkeag Trust Company,		
Salem,	724 01	
Cash on hand, verified,	840 09	
	—————	2,135 66
		<u>\$259,423 73</u>

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, SALEM

Balance December 31, 1934, per statement,	\$3,684 04
Balance December 31, 1934, per check book, \$ 571 56	
Outstanding checks December 31, 1934, per	
list,	3,112 48
	<u>\$3,684 04</u>

NAUMKEAG TRUST COMPANY

Balance December 31, 1934, per statement,	\$1,166 18
Balance December 31, 1934, per check book, \$724 01	
Outstanding checks December 31, 1934, per	
list,	442 17
	<u>\$1,166 18</u>

POLL TAXES—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1934,		\$20 00
Payments to treasurer, 1934,	\$16 00	
Abatements, 1934,	4 00	
		\$20 00

PROPERTY TAXES—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1934,	\$27,440 32	
Moth assessments 1933 entered as taxes		
1933,	1 86	
Interest entered as taxes,	31	
Abatements and payments:		
Refunded,	6 69	
To be refunded,	11 15	
		\$27,460 33
Payments to treasurer,	\$26,730 00	
Abatements,	230 90	
Tax titles taken by town,	\$255 24	
Added to tax titles,	243 07	
	498 31	
Abatements of taxes 1933, reported as		
taxes 1934,	1 12	
		\$27,460 33

POLL TAXES—1934

Commitment per warrant,	\$1,384 00	
Additional commitment,	4 00	
Commitment list in excess of warrant,	4 00	
		\$1,392 00
Payments to treasurer,	\$1,302 00	
Abatements,	74 00	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	16 00	
		<u>\$1,392 00</u>

PROPERTY TAXES—1934

Commitment per warrant,	\$137,195 96	
Additional commitment,	398 70	
Refunds,	488 26	
Abatements of taxes 1933, reported as taxes 1934,	1 12	
		\$138,084 04
Payments to treasurer,	\$108,222 88	
Abatements,	952 52	
Added to tax titles,	509 32	
Warrant in excess of commitment list,	5 91	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	28,393 41	
		<u>\$138,084 04</u>

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAXES—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1934,		\$32 00
Payments to treasurer, 1934,	\$ 8 00	
Refunds by State, 1934,	24 00	
		<u>\$32 00</u>

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1932

Outstanding January 1, 1934,		\$2 10
Payments to treasurer, 1934,	\$ 10	
Abatements, 1934,	2 00	
		<u>\$2 10</u>

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1934,	\$368 54	
Abatements and payments refunded,	92	
Abatements and payments adjusted,	53	
		\$369 99
Payments to treasurer,	\$324 03	
Abatements,	28 21	
Abatements of motor vehicle excise taxes		
1933 reported as 1934,	3 92	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	13 83	
		<u>\$369 99</u>

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES—1934

Commitment per warrant,	\$6,104 83	
Abatements and payments refunded,	133 40	
Interest entered as motor vehicle excise taxes 1934,		01
Abatements of motor vehicle excise taxes 1933 reported as 1934,	3 92	
Errors in reporting abatements,	3 14	
Commitment list in excess of warrant,	1 13	
		\$6,246 43
Payments to treasurer,	\$5,214 71	
Abatements,	298 26	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	733 46	
		\$6,246 43

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1934,	\$133 55	
Error in abatements, adjusted,	20 00	
		\$153 55
Payments to treasurer,	\$150 80	
Tax titles taken for town,	89	
Moth assessments 1933 entered as taxes 1933,	1 86	
		\$153 55

MOTH ASSESSMENTS—1934

Commitment per warrant,		\$1,072 31
Payments to treasurer,	\$928 88	
Added to tax titles,	92	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	142 51	
		<u>\$1,072 31</u>

TAX TITLES

On hand January 1, 1934,	\$594 95	
Tax sales 1934:		
Taxes 1933,	\$255 24	
Moth assessments 1933,	89	
	256 13	
Subsequent taxes added to tax titles:		
Taxes 1933,	\$243 07	
Taxes 1934,	509 32	
Moth assessment 1934,	92	
	753 31	
Audit adjustments:		
Interest and costs on tax sale 1934,	57 54	
		\$1,661 93
Tax titles redeemed,	\$318 45	
Audit adjustment:		
Interest and costs on redemption credited to estimated receipts,	30 50	
On hand December 31, 1934, per list,	1,312 98	
		<u>\$1,661 93</u>

SELECTMEN'S LICENSES

Licenses granted in 1934:

Agents',	\$12 00
Alcohol,	3 00
Dance,	2 00
Junk,	20 00
Pool,	4 00
Victuallers',	24 00

Wines and malt beverages:

Club,	\$275 00
Druggist,	200 00
One-day,	14 00
Package store,	350 00
Restaurant,	650 00
	1,489 00

\$1,554 00

Payments to treasurer,	\$949 00
Outstanding December 31, 1934,	605 00

\$1,554 00

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	\$605 00
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Licenses granted January 1 to 10, 1935:

Agents',	12 00
Alcohol,	5 00
Victuallers',	12 00

\$634 00

Payments to treasurer January 1 to 10, 1935,	\$600 00
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Cash on hand January 10, 1935, verified,	34 00
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\$634 00

TOWN CLERK

DOG LICENSES

Cash on hand January 1, 1934,	\$ 2 00	
Licenses issued 1934:		
Males and spayed females,		
148 @ \$2.00,	\$296 00	
Females, 33 @ \$5.00,	165 00	
Breeders', 2 @ \$25.00,	50 00	
Breeders', 2 @ \$50.00,	100 00	
	611 00	
		\$613 00
Payments to treasurer,	\$574 00	
Fees retained by town clerk, 186 @ 20c	37 20	
Cash on hand December 31, 1934 and		
January 10, 1935, verified,	1 80	
		\$613 00

HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES

Cash on hand January 1, 1934,	\$ 2 00	
Licenses issued 1934:		
Resident citizens' fishing,		
24 @ \$2.00,	\$ 48 00	
Resident citizens' hunting,		
60 @ \$2.00,	120 00	
Resident citizens' sporting,		
18 @ \$3.25,	58 50	
Women and minor fishing,		
8 @ \$1.25,	10 00	
Resident citizen's trapping,		
1 @ \$5.25,	5 25	

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Minor trapper's, 1 @ \$2.25,	2 25	
		244 00
		\$246 00
Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game, 1934,		\$217 75
Fees retained by town clerk, 113 @ 25c, 1934,	28 25	
		\$246 00
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Licenses issued January 1 to 10, 1935:		
Resident citizens' hunting, 2 @ \$2.00,	\$ 4 00	
Resident citizens' sporting, 4 @ \$3.25,	13 00	
		\$17 00
Fees retained by town clerk January 1 to 10, 1935, 6 @ 25c,	\$ 1 50	
Cash on hand January 10, 1935, verified,	15 50	
		\$17 00
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TOWN HALL RENTALS

Receipts 1934,	\$62 00
Payments to treasurer, 1934,	\$62 00

REVOLVER PERMITS

Due from former Chief of Police Janu- ary 1, 1934,	\$ 7 30	
Permits issued 1934,	19 00	
		\$26 30
Payments to treasurer,		\$26 30
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Permits issued January 1 to 10, 1935,		\$5 00
Cash on hand January 10, 1935, verified,		\$5 00
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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Receipts 1934,	\$33 84	
Overpayment to treasurer,	50	\$34 34
Payments to treasurer, 1934,		\$34 34

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges, 1934,	\$474 92
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	\$474 92

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding January 1, 1934:		
Temporary aid,	\$1,592 31	
Mothers' aid,	717 33	
Old age assistance,	126 00	
		\$2,435 64
Charges 1934:		
Temporary aid,	\$2,433 80	
Mothers' aid,	445 67	
Old age assistance,	1,236 68	
		4,116 15
		\$6,551 79
Payments to treasurer, 1934:		
Temporary aid,	\$1,017 91	
Mothers' aid,	717 33	
Old age assistance,	1,089 99	
		\$2,825 23

Disallowances by State:

Temporary aid,	\$ 14 40	
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Old age assistance,	153 35	
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		167 75
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Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list:

Temporary aid,	\$2,993 80	
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Mothers' aid,	445 67	
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Old age assistance,	119 34	
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		3,558 81
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		\$6,551 79
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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Receipts 1934:

Rent of High School gymnasium,	\$ 25 00	
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Sale of supplies,	15 39	
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Tuition,	385 29	
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		\$425 68
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Payments to treasurer, 1934,		\$425 68
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LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

Receipts 1934:

Fines,	\$ 7 29	
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Sale of junk,	18 28	
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		\$25 57
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Payments to treasurer, 1934,		\$25 57
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CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

Outstanding January 1, 1934,	\$534 50	
Charges:		
Sale of lots and graves,	\$230 00	
Care of lots and graves,	311 25	
Interments,	164 00	
Sale of junk,	17 00	
	722 25	
Perpetual care bequests,	300 00	
Perpetual care income withdrawn,	342 00	
		\$1,898 75
Payments to treasurer:		
By cemetery department,	\$959 25	
Direct,	342 00	
	\$1,301 25	
Abatements,	472 50	
Outstanding December 31, 1934, per list,	124 75	
Cash balance December 31, 1934,	25	
		\$1,898 75

DR. JUSTIN ALLEN LIBRARY FUND

	<i>Savings</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>Deposits</i>	
On hand at beginning of year 1934,	\$526 71	\$526 71
On hand at end of year 1934,	\$525 37	\$525 37
	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Payments</i>
Withdrawn from sav-		Transferred to town,
ings deposits	\$ 1 34	\$20 00
Income,	18 66	
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	\$20 00	\$20 00

CEMETERY SALE OF LOTS FUND

	<i>Cash in Gen. Treas.</i>	<i>Savings Deposits</i>	<i>Total</i>
On hand at beginning of year			
1934,	\$60 00	\$2,773 31	\$2,833 31
On hand at end of year 1934,	\$10 00	\$3,153 05	\$3,163 05
<i>Receipts</i>		<i>Payments</i>	
Income,	\$ 99 74	Added to savings de-	
Sale of lots,	230 00	posits	\$379 74
Cash on hand at begin-		Cash on hand at end	
ning of year	60 00	of year,	10 00
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	\$389 74		\$389 74

MAXWELL NORMAN FUND

	<i>Savings Deposits</i>	<i>Total</i>
On hand at beginning of year 1934,	\$313 93	\$313 93
On hand at end of year 1934,	\$324 99	\$324 99
<i>Receipts</i>		<i>Payments</i>
Income,	\$11 06	Added to savings deposits, \$11 06

TOWN OF HAMILTON

BALANCE SHEET—DECEMBER 31, 1934

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:

In Banks and Office,	\$2,135 66
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Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:

Levy of 1934,	28,409 41
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Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Levy of 1933,	\$ 13 83
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Levy of 1934,	733 46
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747 29

Special Assessments:

Moth 1934,	142 51
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Tax Titles,	1,312 98
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Departmental:

Health,	\$ 474 92
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Public Welfare:

Temporary Aid,	2,993 80
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Mothers' Aid,	445 67
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Old Age Assistance,	119 34
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State Aid,	220 00
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4,253 73

Overlay Deficit 1934 (To be provided

for by assessors),	541 83
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Revenue Deficit 1934,	5,239 80
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 \$42,783 21

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Tailings,		\$111 52
Overpayment—Taxes 1933,		11 15
Surplus War Bonus Fund,		965 37
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund,		10 00
Special State Tax—Old Age Assistance,		15 00
Appropriation Balances,		1,231 29
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus,		12,497 83
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax,	\$ 747 29	
Special Assessment,	142 51	
Tax Title,	1,312 98	
Departmental,	4,253 73	
		6,456 51
Surplus Revenue,		21,484 54
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		\$42,783 21

DEBT ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt,	\$102,000 00
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	\$102,000 00

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Essex County Hospital Loan,	\$ 9,000 00
East School Loan,	1,000 00
High School Building Loan,	92,000 00
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	\$102,000 00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Trust and Investment Funds:

Cash and Securities,	\$17,409 43
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	\$17,409 43
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LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Dr. Justin Allen Library Fund,	\$ 525 37
H. Augusta Dodge Library Fund,	1,000 10
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	12,405 92
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund,	3,153 05
Maxwell Norman Fund,	324 99

	\$17,409 43
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REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings: The report of the Town Clerk's office for the Town of Hamilton for the year of 1934 is herewith submitted.

VITAL STATISTICS

During the year 1934 the births numbered 27; this is 8 less than the previous year. The following is a comparison for the past five years:

1934	27 births recorded
1933	35 births recorded
1932	33 births recorded
1931	39 births recorded
1930	41 births recorded

BIRTHS RECORDED

1934

Marian Williard, daughter of
Edward L. and Margaret (Ford) Francis

Standish, Jr., son of
Standish and Dorothy (Winthrop) Bradford

Nancy Mae, daughter of
Everett G. and Winifred (Wilkinson) Stanley

Angeline Frances, daughter of
Frank and Irene (Mucci) Dagarsta

Marion Richardson, daughter of
Richard and Elizabeth (Moulton) Hubbard

James Appleton, son of
Joseph W. and Elizabeth (Barrell) Woods

Robert Henry, son of
Carl Gilman and Madeline (Larkin) Ricker

Frank L., Jr., son of
Frank L. and Alice (Bancroft) Tree

Herbert Raymond, son of
Herbert and Bessie (Hadley) Conrad

Dexter Alan, son of
Preston L. and Hulda (Batchelder) Brothers

Margaret Anne, daughter of
Albert C. and Lillian (Wetson) Malone

Richard Winslow, son of
Roland W. and Faith (Bull) Payne

Elizabeth Winifred, daughter of
John T. and Elizabeth (Fraser) Walke

Campbell Steward, son of
Gilbert L. and Ann (Ayer) Steward

Ann Moore, daughter of
Roger and Grace (Sjolund) Taylor

——— Babcock, son of
Marcius and Vernetta (Rutledge) Babcock

Mildred Estelle, daughter of
Dwight and Mildred (Mullen) Brooks

Franklyn Arthur, son of
Harold and Myrtis (Rull) Johnson

Natalie Violet, daughter of
Lawrence R. and Clara (Powers) Stone

Edward, son of
Fred L. and Matilda (Wells) Rauscher

William Walter, Jr., son of
William W. and Carolyn (Browne) Kinsella

Wayne Arthur, son of
Franklin A. and Virginia (Hatt) Grove

Forrest Hervey, son of
Roland and Irene (Carpentier) Chaput

Anne Charlotte Agnes, daughter of
Henry and Alma (Comeau) LeBlanc

Roderick Alexander, son of
Alexander J. and Rodena (MacLennan) MacLean

Janice, daughter of
Charles L. and Stacia (Lotarski) Blankhorn

Gloria Ann, daughter of
Stephen I. and Grace (Hooper) Cross

MARRIAGES RECORDED

1934

Gilbert F. Murphy of Hamilton, Mass.

Rita Riendeau of Hamilton, Mass.

John J. Fogarty of Hamilton, Mass.

Katherine Murphy of Cambridge, Mass.

Timothy Kelleher of Hamilton, Mass.

Sarah Agnes McDonough of Hamilton, Mass.

Gordon Everett Como of Hamilton, Mass.

Odell Phaneuf of Ipswich, Mass.

Elmer Newton Eddy of Hamilton, Mass.

Helen Dodge Knowlton of Peabody, Mass.

Albert Edmondson of Hamilton, Mass.

Margaret M. McGovern of Lawrence, Mass.

Harold Palmer Mills, Jr., of Bronxville, N. Y.

Alice Means of Brookline, Mass.

George Morrow of Hamilton, Mass.

Margaret Catherine McComisky of Beverly, Mass.

James A. Chisholm of Hamilton, Mass.

Margaret I. Gilligan of Salem, Mass.

Owen I. Haszard of Wenham, Mass.

Evelyn Virginia Foster of West Boxford, Mass.

Warren Gray of Hamilton, Mass.

Marjorie Hatt of Hamilton, Mass.

Albert I. Day of Hamilton, Mass.
Katherine A. Malone of Hamilton, Mass.

Harvey L. Doucette, Jr., of Hamilton, Mass.
Olga M. Whitehouse of Hamilton, Mass.

W. Stuart Forbes, Jr., of Hamilton, Mass.
K. Greeley Brown of Newton Center, Mass.

Arthur A. Begg of Hamilton, Mass.
Josephine J. Laski of Hamilton, Mass.

Joseph F. Carnes, Jr., of Hamilton, Mass.
Elizabeth M. Carroll of Wenham, Mass.

Bert C. Underwood of Ipswich, Mass.
Letitia M. Day of Ipswich, Mass.

Paul A. Brumby of Hamilton, Mass.
Marguerite Isabel Gates of Beverly Farms, Mass.

Philip Horton Smith of Salem, Mass.
Elinor Colby Mahoney of Salem, Mass.

Alfred Otis of Hamilton, Mass.
Loretta Saunders of Hamilton, Mass.

Albert Lopez of Hamilton, Mass.
Irene Mary LaPointe of Hamilton, Mass.

Robert Madore of Salem, Mass.
Leone Sargeant Miller of Beverly, Mass.

Raymond Alden Duffill of Danvers, Mass.
Elizabeth Featherstone of Wenham, Mass.

Frederick L. Cahoon of Hamilton, Mass.
Marion G. Lundquist of Hamilton, Mass.

Geoffrey C. Sargeant of Hamilton, Mass.
Doris N. Sands of Hamilton, Mass.

Frederick C. Holland of Hamilton, Mass.
Evelin D. Hagglund of Hamilton, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED

			Years	Mos.	Days
1933					
Dec. 4	John Crowe		76	..	..
Dec. 21	Sarah A. Tibbetts		76	10	25
1934					
Jan. 2	Marion I. Dewar		2	..	12
Feb. 1	Hilma J. Johnson		61	..	..
Feb. 23	Emma S. Tyack		63	..	..
Feb. 25	Joseph Lewis		66	4	19
Feb. 27	Vina W. Beers		45	..	..
Apr. 9	Patrick James Ryan		62	..	..
Apr. 12	William J. Little		63	..	..
Apr. 28	Ada S. Keene		59	..	27
May 28	Luella E. Peterson		68	..	..
June 24	John Smith		21	11	16
July 1	Grace L. Lambert		73	8	9
July 2	Alfred C. Bond		59	..	..
July 24	Augustus F. Goodwin		61	..	..
July 26	Edward Caldwell		83	2	20
Aug. 11	George S. Mandell		67	..	17

Aug. 16	Richard Barry	56	9	8
Aug. 23	Ida M. Foster	53	..	..
Aug. 26	Susan Wayland	70	1	6
Aug. 29	Hiram S. Back	73	..	..
Sept. 2	Jonathan Lamson	50	..	10
Sept. 9	Emma F. Dodge	70	..	..
Sept. 24	Frederick L. Champine	72	..	..
Oct. 1	Nellie Quinlan	60	..	..
Oct. 5	Jonathan Brown, Jr.	76	10	28
Oct. 12	George B. Knowlton	76	11	7
Oct. 20	Chester B. Caverly	60	7	2
Nov. 27	Sophia Whistler	90	2	28
Nov. 30	Alfred Readman	61	..	27
Dec. 6	John J. Cullity	47	..	..

BROUGHT INTO TOWN

1934		Years	Mos.	Days
Jan. 6	John Manning	62	1	13
Feb. 14	Willis E. Kent	80	..	..
Feb. 14	Lucy Parker Webber	82	7	17
Sept. 24	Duncan Taylor Horne	74	5	16
Oct. 5	Grace Little Dane	54	1	6
Dec. 3	Margaret Snee	64	4	22

REGISTRATIONS

During the past year the Board of Registrars held eight meetings, three at the Engine House and five at the Town Hall. The total number registered at these meetings is as follows:

Men	55
Women	55

The total number of voters dropped from the voting list during the past year was 81.

The total number of voters eligible to vote in the Town of Hamilton, December 31, 1934, is as follows:

Men	615
Women	577
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	1192

LICENSES

All money due the State and County for sporting and dog licenses has been turned over to the proper authorities. These accounts have been certified by the State Auditors and for further information you are referred to the report of the Division of Accounts which follows the Town Accountant's Report.

MEETINGS

On January 2, 1934, a special meeting was held to vote on the following questions:

Question 1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

The result — Yes	125
No	139
Blanks	2
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	266

Question 2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

The result — Yes	142
No	122
Blanks	2
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	266

The Annual Town Meeting was held March 13, 1934. At this meeting the sum of \$144,108.03 was appropriated to meet the expenses of the Town for the current year.

A Special State Election was held April 24, 1934, for the election of candidates of political parties for the following offices:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the third Essex Senatorial District.

3 members of the Democratic Town Committee.

10 members of the Republican Town Committee.

1 delegate to State Convention of the Democratic Party.

1 delegate to State Convention of the Republican Party.

The polls were open from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 8 o'clock in the evening.

Those elected were as follows:

Republican: State Committee, Bayard Tuckerman, Jr. Delegate to State Convention, Bayard Tuckerman, Jr. Republican Town Committee, George E. Smith, Edward A. DeWitt, Oliver Wolcott, Lester M. Whipple, Arthur C. Cummings, Bayard Tuckerman, Jr., George Gibney Haraden, Lawrence R. Stone, Sumner Pingree, William Bancroft.

The Democratic vote follows:

State Committee, James F. Connolly. Delegate to State Convention, Harold A. Daley. Town Committee, Harold A. Daley, John F. Counihan, Peter F. McNiff.

A Special Town Meeting was held on the twenty-fourth of July, 1934, to act on the following articles, viz.:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the

sum of \$3,000.00 to provide work for the needy unemployed of the town, said sum to be taken from the Excess and Deficiency Fund, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by the Board of Selectmen.

This motion was unanimously carried.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of \$7,500.00 for the Welfare Department, \$5,000.00 of said sum to be taken from Overlay Reserve, the remainder to be raised by the tax levy of the current year, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by the Board of Public Welfare.

* This motion was unanimously carried.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate an additional sum of \$2,000.00 for the Health Department, said sum to be taken from the Excess and Deficiency Fund, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by the Board of Health.

The motion was unanimously carried.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of money for the Highway Department, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by the Surveyor of Highways.

\$7,000.00 was appropriated under this article for the Highway Department.

Article 5. To see if Town will appropriate an additional sum of money for Snow Removal, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by the Surveyor of Highways.

\$1,200.00 was appropriated for Snow Removal under this article.

The State Primary was held on September 20th, 1934. The polls were open from 1 o'clock in the afternoon until 8 o'clock in the evening. The number of votes cast was as follows:

The \$5,000 appropriated under Article 2 from Overlay Reserve was subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Taxations and Corporations. Approval was denied and that is the reason for the Deficit in Revenue this year.

Republican	247
Democratic	48
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Total	295

A Special Town Election was held on October 2, 1934, to elect a Selectman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Jonathan Lamson. The polls were open from 5.45 in the morning until 1 o'clock in the afternoon. 853 votes were cast, with the following result:

John H. Perkins	440
William H. Woodason	221
William A. Brumby	101
Walfred B. Sellman	89
Blanks	2
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Total	853

The State Election was held on November 6th, 1934. The polls were open from 12 o'clock noon until 8 o'clock in the evening. The total vote cast was 927, made up as follows:

Votes by Men	501
Votes by Women	426
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Total	927

The above included 14 absentee ballots.

The past year has been an exceptionally busy one and I wish at this time to thank you all for your splendid co-operation and to express to you my grateful appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS

1934

Value of Buildings	\$3,684,500 00
Value of Land	1,471,255 00

Value of Real Estate	\$5,155,755 00
Value of Personal Estate	608,781 00

Total Valuation of Town	\$5,764,536 00
Tax on Real Estate	\$122,706 93
Tax on Personal Estate	14,489 03
Tax on Polls	1,384 00

Total Tax Levy	\$138,579 96
Moth Assessment	1,072 31

Total Commitment	139,652 27
Rate per thousand	\$23 80
Number of horses	211
Number of mules	6
Number of cows	38
Number of neat cattle	10
Number of swine	15
Number of fowl	2,095
Number of sheep	16
Number of acres of land	8,760
Number of dwellings	833
Number of persons and corporations assessed	1,001

EXPENDITURES

Town Appropriations	\$159,808 03	
Voted from Excess and Deficiency	5,000 00	
State Tax	7,600 00	
State Parks	39 17	
State Audit	302 22	
County Tax	6,174 32	
Overlay—1934	483 57	
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Total Expenditures		\$179,407 31

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax	\$10,269 24	
Corporation Taxes	639 48	
Bank Taxes	967 04	
Motor Vehicle Excise	6,200 00	
Licenses	900 00	
Fines	800 00	
Special Assessments (Moth)	1,500 00	
Protection of Persons and Property	100 00	
Health and Sanitation	1,500 00	
Highways	30 00	
Charities	6,000 00	
Old Age Assistance (returned by State)	1,673 35	
Soldiers' Benefits	240 00	
Schools	325 00	
Libraries	25 00	
Cemeteries (other than from Trust		
Funds and Sale of Lots)	1,000 00	
Interest on Taxes	1,000 00	

Emergency Acts, Chap. 49, of 1933, Third Quarter	2,658 24	
Available Funds (used by authority of Commissioner)	5,000 00	
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Total Estimated Receipts		40,827 35

SUMMARY

Total amount to be raised	\$179,407 31	
	<hr/>	\$179,407 31
Estimated Receipts	\$35,827 35	
Taken from Excess and Deficiency	5,000 00	
692 Polls @ \$2.00	1,384 00	
Gain or Loss Account of Fractions	01	
	<hr/>	42,211 36
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Balance Tax on Property		\$137,195 95
Special Assessment (Moth)		1,072 31
Tax on Polls		1,384 00
Gain or Loss Account of Fractions		01
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Total Commitments		\$139,652 27
Total Number of Cars Assessed		1,112
Valuation of Cars Assessed		\$227,790 00
Total Excise Levy		\$6,104 86

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF HAMILTON

A new period of tax history starting as of January 1, 1935, when all property must be valued for local taxation, offers us the opportunity of advising you that the cost of local government as expressed in the 1935 tax bill on real estate and tangible personal property valued as of January 1, 1935, will be due one

half on July 1 and one half on October 1, with the opportunity of partial payments. Tax bills are to be in your hands on or before June 14, 1935. Section 29, Chapter 59 of the General Laws, required that each person with taxable real estate or tangible personal property shall file with the assessors a list of their property on or before February 15, 1935. The 1935 tax bill will be the amount that each taxpayer is obligated to pay for the costs to run his local government from January 1 to December 31, 1935. It can be more intelligently and fairly determined if each taxpayer will file with the assessors as required by law a list of his taxable property, both real estate and tangible personal property as of January 1, 1935. The assessors in the absence of such list must estimate the best they can the value of such taxable estate.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. SAFFORD
JESSE S. MANN
ROBERT H. CHITTICK

Board of Assessors.

JURY LIST FOR 1935

William A. Brumby, Arlington Street, Retired
Harold A. Daley, Main Street, Grocer
Edward A. DeWitt, Railroad Avenue, Carpenter
Walter E. Cheever, Knowlton Street, Laborer
Stanley R. Berry, Essex Street, Chauffeur
Wallace H. Knowlton, Bridge Street, Carpenter
James L. Danforth, Union Street, Retired
John J. Corcoran, Highland Street, Foreman
George H. Bisson, Winthrop Street, Carpenter
Carl G. Ricker, Hamilton Avenue, Electrician
Lawrence R. Stone, Asbury Street, Superintendent
Frank B. Crowell, Hamilton Avenue, Painter
Levi E. Alexander, Main Street, Chauffeur
Henry T. Rogers, Arlington Street, Machinist
Harold G. Dodd, Walnut Street, Master Plumber
Merrill S. Lovering, Lincoln Avenue, Carpenter
Frank W. Buzzell, Gardner Street, Carpenter
Elmer R. Pope, Walnut Street, Inventor
Walter I. Fowler, Asbury Street, Salesman
Frank H. Tuck, Union Street, Machinist
John Walsh, Maple Street, Gardener

DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Board of Selectmen of Hamilton:

Gentlemen—In compliance with General Laws, Chapter 98, Sec. 34, I herewith submit the annual report of this department for the year 1934.

	Adjusted	Sealed	Non-sealed	Con-demned
Scales:				
Platform over 5000 lbs.	..	2	1	..
Platform 100 to 5000 lbs.	..	12	..	..
Counter under 100 lbs.	..	5	..	..
Beam under 100 lbs.	..	6	..	..
Beam 100 to 5000 lbs.	..	3	..	..
Spring over 100 lbs.	..	2	..	..
Spring under 100 lbs.	1	25	..	1
Computing under 100 lbs.	1	15	..	..
Personal weigher (slot)	..	2	..	1
Prescription	..	1	..	..
Weights:				
Avoirdupois	..	113	13	..
Apothecary	..	12	..	..
Metric	..	22	..	..
Volumetric measures:				
Liquid measures	..	19	..	1
Automatic measuring devices:				
Gasoline meters	..	7	..	..
Gasoline pumps	..	13	..	..
Kerosene	..	4	..	..

Linear measures:

Yard sticks	..	2	..	..
Vehicle tanks	..	1	..	..

Trial Weighings and Inspections Required by Law

	Total	Correct	Over	Under
Bread	64	54	8	2
Dry Commodities	156	123	22	11
Peddlers' Licenses	..	9	..	..
Bread Labels	..	64	..	..
Peddlers' Scales	..	2	..	..
Ice Scales	..	3	..	..
Junk Scales	..	1	..	..
Coal Certificates	4	..	3	1

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. CROWELL,

Sealer.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

While the past year has shown some improvement in many lines of business, the effects as yet have not been far-reaching enough to produce any noticeable benefits to municipal governments. Expenditures for public welfare and unemployment relief have of necessity been very heavy. Federal relief has assisted us to a great extent in carrying this burden. Present indications are against the promise of any material reduction in these departments. The uncertainty of continued Federal assistance should suggest to the voter the wisdom of scrutinizing carefully any unnecessary expenditures.

The Town is fortunate this year in that we have been allotted by the Department of Public Works and County of Essex sums of \$10,000 and \$5,000, respectively, provided the Town votes the sum of \$5,000 additional for the construction of one-half of the remaining distance to be built on Highland Street. Your Board feels strongly that the Town should take advantage of the offer, as it is the most economical method in which we build permanent highway. The cost of maintenance of this road has been high. This project should afford considerable work for the unemployed during the summer months.

The Board recommends favorable action on the request of the Board of Fire Engineers for replacement of the Ford chemical. This piece of apparatus has been in constant use since 1916 and has served the Town well. It is not only obsolete, but would of necessity require costly repairs, out of proportion to its value to the Town.

In accordance with the vote of the last annual Town Meeting, considerable improvement has been made in the water system

in South Hamilton. The Town has acquired a piece of property from the Boston & Maine R. R. at a nominal sum, and a tank has been erected and modern pumping facilities have been installed on the property.

The Board feels that the voters, in providing sums of money for unemployment for the coming year, should place considerable emphasis on projects of permanent value to the Town. This will require larger appropriations for materials, but we believe in the long run it will prove a wiser policy for the Town to pursue.

During the past year the Town has lost the services of two faithful public officials. The Town mourns the passing of Jonathan Lamson, a member of the Board of Selectmen for the past twelve years, and George S. Mandell, who served the Town both as a member of the Unemployment Committee and also the New High School Building Committee. We who had the privilege of serving with them feel a loss that cannot be expressed within the scope of these brief lines.

Without the wholehearted assistance of the Unemployment Committee and the Federal Administrator, the problem of unemployment would have been immeasurably more difficult for the Board of Selectmen, and we take this opportunity of thanking them and all town officials for the co-operation they have extended to us during the past year.

The Board has endeavored to carry out the wishes of the citizens impartially and for the best interests of the Town. We are confident that the high standing that Hamilton has always enjoyed can be maintained provided that prudence and co-operation prevail at the annual Town Meeting.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN H. PERKINS
ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS
EDWARD A. DEWITT

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

The Trustees of the Public Library herewith submit their report for the year 1934.

Due to extraordinary demands caused by the alteration at the main library, our appropriation during the year was not sufficient to purchase the books necessary to care for the circulation. We hope that for 1935 this will not be so. We have set up in our budget for the year approximately eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) for this item. The requirements for circulation at the two libraries necessarily means duplication in the purchase of books and in many cases obtaining duplicate copies of titles. This necessitates a larger budget requirement for these items. May we ask your patient indulgence until we shall have been able to supply the demand.

Alterations.

Your Trustees have from time to time during the past few years considered what alterations might be made to better care for the needs of citizens at the main library. We have realized that business conditions were such that it would not be wise to make any substantial changes at the present time from our regular appropriation.

The first meeting of the Trustees for 1934 was held the week following the Town Meeting, at which time the subject was again brought to our attention by one of the Selectmen, who suggested that the work be done in conjunction with the Unemployment Committee, the Trustees to furnish the materials and the Town to furnish the labor. Your Trustees voted to accept the offer

and work began. The procedure under the agreement was found to be a failure and the Trustees had to take over the project. We believe that the work has been worth while. For your information, approximately \$450.00 has been expended for this project, and the result, a Reading Room that is a credit to the memory of Gail Hamilton in whose honor the Library was named. We appreciate the words of commendation from the many citizens who enjoy the service of the library.

Special Lighting.

Two hundred dollars was appropriated at the Town Meeting in March for this purpose. Because of the alterations made at the Library the lighting arrangements were entirely changed. Instead of spending the two hundred dollars appropriated, we have a balance of ninety-one dollars.

The Trustees at this time desire to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to Miss E. Louise Jones of the Division of Public Libraries, Massachusetts, and her able corp of assistants for their kind assistance in the reclassification and arrangement of books at both libraries during the past year.

Detailed statistics will be found in the report of the Librarian.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER H. KNOWLES
BARBARA M. GAGE
ARTHUR W. CHANDLER

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Public Library:

Herewith is presented the forty-second annual report.

The Main Library has occupied its quarters in the Town Hall for over forty-two years, with no improvements being made in all that time.

On March 18, 1934, the Library was closed for a complete renovation, to reopen on June 2nd. The shelves that filled the stack room were torn out and arranged around the walls, with only one low stack in the center. The counter in the delivery room was taken out, thus opening up a beautiful archway that had been hidden for so long a time. The Librarian's desk was moved to the delivery room and new shelves were installed. The interior walls were painted ivory and all shelves and woodwork white. New lights were installed. The effect is that of one long room. It is a pleasure to work in the rooms.

Despite the fact that we were closed for most two months, the book circulation was only 34 less than last year. There was a gain of 321 at the Branch Library. The circulation at the schools took a very decided drop.

Old and worn-out books were weeded out to the number of 1,454—at the Main Library 1,070, at the Branch Library 384.

We are adding to our reference section each year. We now have on our shelves, beside the Britannica purchases this year, Compton's Encyclopaedia for the elementary grades and the World Book for use by both Junior and Senior pupils.

There have been 113 new names added to our register.

We extend our thanks for the generous gifts of books and magazines that proved a great help to us.

The Main Library is open Wednesday and Saturday, the Branch Library Tuesday and Friday, 3 to 5, 7 to 9 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

LYDIA L. HARADEN

Librarian.

STATISTICS.

Number of volumes accessioned	16,225
Number of volumes January 1, 1935	11,245
Number of volumes added 1934	550
Books—gifts	243
Books—purchased	307
Circulation, including periodicals	21,330
Total number of borrowers	950
Fines and sale of old books	\$25.57
Circulation—Books	19,677
Non-fiction	971
Main Library	506
Branch Library	465
Fiction	15,131
Main Library	3,845
Branch Library	11,286
Juvenile	3,565
Main Library	954
Branch Library	1,561
Schools	1,050
Circulation Magazines	1,663
Main Library	1,036
Branch Library	627
Borrowers	950
Main Library	350
Branch Library	600

REPORT OF HAMILTON COMMITTEE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

The Town appropriated for the purposes of the Unemployment Committee \$3,000.00 on March 13th, and \$3,000.00 on July 24th. This amount with the balance of \$1,926.46 on January 1st made \$7,926.46 available. Of this amount \$4,490.50 was expended for wages, and \$3,183.06 for material, trucking and other expenses. The balance on December 31st for the needy unemployed was \$280.90.

We are greatly indebted to the administrators of the ERA and CWA for their great assistance to us. Through their cooperation our wages have been cut one-third as compared to 1933. It will be noticed our amount for material, trucking, etc., is larger than other years. This is on account of the fact that we are furnishing materials for the needy unemployed projects as well as the ERA and CWA projects.

Through the death of Mr. George S. Mandell the committee has lost a valued and faithful member. His efforts were untiring, and we have greatly missed his advice and services.

On account of the resignation of Mr. William A. Brumby, our chairman, July, 1934, it was necessary for our committee to be reorganized. The Selectmen appointed at that time Mr. Harold Daley, Mr. Bayard Tuckerman, Jr., and Mr. George Sprague. The committee then elected Mr. Daley as chairman and under his guidance we have been able to carry on the work.

We wish to thank all other departments and town officials for their hearty cooperation in helping us to carry out the projects and regular routine work.

The projects carried on by the committee during the past year with their cost, are listed below, also the expenditures by months.

Respectfully,

HAROLD A. DALEY, *Chairman*
 HAROLD E. PORTER, *Secretary*
 BAYARD TUCKERMAN, JR.
 GEORGE H. SPRAGUE
 MARCIUS N. BABCOCK

Balance January 1, 1934	\$1,926 46	
Appropriation March 13, 1934	3,000 00	
Appropriation July 24, 1934	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,926 46

EXPENDITURES BY PROJECT

Boston & Maine Water Supply	\$ 240 46
Bridge Street Fire Cistern	446 00
Cemetery	1,780 00
CWA No. 1889	549 75
CWA No. 6016-3	246 49
ERA	2,000 44
Clerical	28 00
Farms Road	282 00
High School	32 00
Library	152 00
Marjorie Street	239 56
Miscellaneous Items	343 38
Moulton Street	30 00
Sand and Gravel Pit	4 00
Tools	47 32

Town Hall	330 50	
Town Truck	83 87	
Cemetery Truck	14 79	
Tree Warden	795 00	
	<hr/>	7,645 56
Balance December 31, 1934		<hr/> \$280 90

MONTHLY EXPENDITURES FOR 1934

	No. of Men Employed	Labor Payroll	Other Expenditures	Total	Average No. Men Per week
January	27	\$258 00	\$252 10	\$510 10	7
February	29	227 00	179 58	406 58	7
March	29	236 50	472 84	709 34	6
April	36	376 00	343 88	719 88	9
May	26	196 00	523 42	719 42	7
June	35	255 00	527 69	782 69	6
July	43	351 00	113 91	464 91	11
August	45	414 00	78 03	492 03	11
September	72	590 00	162 94	752 94	14
October	45	298 00	136 29	434 29	11
November	98	582 00	163 77	745 77	24
December	102	707 00	200 61	907 61	20
	<hr/> 587	<hr/> \$4,490 50	<hr/> \$3,183 06	<hr/> \$7,645 56	<hr/>

REPORT OF THE ERA ADMINISTRATOR

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

While the CWA and the ERA are under Federal supervision, they are something which is very important to all of the people of the town.

Last December when the CWA first began, the Town was carrying the entire burden of unemployment. The CWA, as you probably all know, was not a relief measure, it was designed to put men to work whether they actually needed relief or not, the underlying idea being to get money into circulation. Evidently by the spring of 1934 the government had changed their ideas as to the methods to be employed and the CWA was discontinued and replaced by the ERA which is wholly a relief measure.

During the greatest CWA activities here in Hamilton there were about 175 men employed on the various town and state projects. This number dwindled rapidly after the first of the year 1934, until we were allotted a quota of 38 men and that quota was in force at the time that CWA was transferred to ERA. At present there are 45 people working.

The total amount of Federal money expended in town, on town projects, from December 1, 1933, to December 31, 1934, was \$31,969.40.

The share that the Town had to contribute for the purchase of tools, trucking and materials was \$3,549.79.

In addition to this there was a substantial amount of money spent in town under the supervision of the State. We have no record of the actual amount, but it assisted materially in relieving the unemployment situation.

The government also distributed the following foodstuffs and fuel:

140 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons coal	405 lbs. lard
4212 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. pork	694 lbs. milk wheato
177 doz. eggs	73 bags flour
340 pks. potatoes	1482 cans roast beef
110 lbs. sugar	9 cans vegetables
1684 lbs. butter	4665 lbs. cabbage
42 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. beans	1470 lbs. veal

The first town project that was started was graveling the highway on Chebacco Road, Woodbury Street and Farms Road. This project started in December, 1933, and continued as a CWA project and then an ERA project until May 31, 1934. At this time the ERA policy was not to do any work of that nature, therefore, we had to discontinue this work. At this time Chebacco Road and Woodbury Street were graded and ready for the oil surface to be applied. Farms Road was left in a very dangerous condition and had to be completed at once by the Highway Department.

The next project to be started was under the ERA and was grading the Dorothy Winthrop Lot for a playground. This project started June 1, 1934, and furnished employment for men on the ERA until December 6, 1934. This playground is now graded and ready for seeding down and I hope that the Town will at the coming Annual Meeting appropriate the necessary money for fertilizer and seed to complete this playground.

The next project started under the ERA was a women's sewing project. This project started July 1, 1934, and is still in operation, furnishing work for an average of ten women. In conjunction with this project, there has been distributed in Hamilton, 2,253 articles of clothing with an approximate retail value of \$2,268.88.

I feel that this project has been one of the most beneficial projects we have had in town, as it not only furnished employment

for those in need, but it furnished all of the needy with a great many articles that they might not have been able to obtain otherwise.

At this time I wish to express my appreciation for the friendly and cooperative spirit to those who loaned sewing machines to this project and to the Community Service, who have so kindly permitted us to use a room at the Community House.

The next project started was a Water Hole on the Folsom estate on Bridge Street. This was not started until the latter part of September and shortly after we commenced work the fall rains set in and we were obliged to discontinue this work. Before discontinuing this project we had excavated sufficiently to provide a storage basin of about 20,000 gallons. This will prove a considerable advantage to the people in this vicinity as there was no storage basin there previously.

One of the principal difficulties that the ERA Administrators are confronted with is the difficulty of finding practical projects for unskilled workers during the winter months.

Among the various projects that would meet with the approval of the ERA authorities was the Eradication and Control of Insect Pests. This is one branch of work that most cities and towns have neglected for the last few years, so feeling that this would be a benefit to the town and was also work that could be carried on during the winter months, I presented to the central office a project for this class of work and it was approved by them. This work is proceeding at the present time and during the present year our town should see a very large decrease in the gypsy moth and tent caterpillars over the preceding year.

The next project under the ERA was cutting back the corner of the embankment on the left-hand side of the Miles River Road. This has always been a very bad corner for the automobiles, as the bank came so close to the traveled way that it obstructed the motorist's vision until they were within a very few feet of the

corner. The material that was excavated was used to widen the road at various places and I feel that this project has been of great value to those who drive on the Miles River Road.

Below we are submitting a detailed report on the cost of these various projects to show the share born by the CWA, ERA and the Town.

*Graveling and Grading Chebacco Road, Miles River Road
and Farms Road*

There was 10,671 yards of gravel placed on these roads. This does not include gravel used by the Highway Department on Farms Road.

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$17,832 50
Trucking paid from Federal funds	3,580 50
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Total Federal funds	\$21,413 00
Trucking and materials paid by Town	2,450 33
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$23,863 33

Athletic Field at New High School

On this project we moved 8,627 yards of loam and filling. The School Committee paid for the service of an engineer to establish the grades on the field.

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$4,633 25
Materials paid by Town	164 92
Trucking paid by Town	659 04
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$5,457 21

Sewing for Welfare

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$2,416 00
Materials paid from Federal funds	1,411 15
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Total Federal funds	\$3,827 15
Materials paid by Town	63 51
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$3,890 66

Water Hole for Fire Protection

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$568 00
Materials paid by Town	17 00
Trucking paid by Town	4 00
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$589 00

Insect Control

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$593 00
Materials paid by Town	12 00
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$605 00

Removing Dangerous Corner on Miles River Road

On this project we removed 1,459 yards and widened the road on the bend, using 129 yards of gravel.

Wages paid from Federal funds	\$1,717 00
Materials paid by Town	130 41
Trucking paid by Town	235 19
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Total Federal and Town funds	\$2,082 60

Of this amount, on the Miles River Road \$782.00 of Federal funds and \$186.61 Town funds was spent in the fiscal year of 1935. We have included this, so that we can give a full report of this completed project.

This amount of \$968.61 is not included in the total amount of Federal grant from December 1, 1933, to December 31, 1934.

Extension of the Fire Main upon which we are now working comes wholly in the year 1935, so I shall not submit a detailed account at this time. This is another type of work that can be carried on during the winter months, as the rapid progress made so far proves, and it has the added advantage of being a permanent improvement to the Town.

I submit this report to the citizens of Hamilton in an endeavor to furnish them with the information to which I think they are entitled and also I wish to thank the officials of the various departments for the splendid cooperation that I have received.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT,

ERA Administrator.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

GREETINGS:

The Board of Health submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Garbage and Rubbish Contracts.

At the Annual Town Meeting held in March it was voted to increase the routes of the Garbage and Rubbish Collection to take in Hamilton Center. This caused an increase in these contracts as follows:

	1934	1933	Increase
Garbage	\$1,135 00	\$690 00	\$445 00
Rubbish	840 00	595 00	245 00
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		Total Increase	\$690 00

At that time \$2,200.00 was appropriated for this Department. Due to the above increase in the Garbage and Rubbish Contracts and to the unanticipated cost of contagious diseases this amount was found to be insufficient to carry through the year. Consequently at a Special Town Meeting held July 24, 1934, an additional \$2,000.00 was appropriated, making a total appropriation of \$4,200.00.

The cost of the department is outlined below:

March appropriation	\$2,200 00	Spent	\$4,008 41
Special appropriation	2,000 00	Balance	191 59
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	\$4,200 00		\$4,200 00

Of the \$4,008.41 spent during 1934 the Town will receive back \$858.92 from other municipalities for aid rendered people residing in Hamilton who have a settlement elsewhere. This will leave a net cost to the Town of \$3,149.49.

Contagious Disease Report.

The number of contagious diseases reported during the year were 54, and are as follows:

Diphtheria	1
Mumps	1
Whooping Cough	2
Dog Bite	2
Chicken Pox	2
German Measles	2
Measles	5
Tuberculosis (all forms)	7
Scarlet Fever	32

54

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS
EDWARD A. DEWITT
JOHN H. PERKINS

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings.

The Cemetery Commissioners submit herewith their report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

We wish to acknowledge the gift of a very beautiful bird-bath which was given to the Cemetery Department by Mrs. Annie Gibney. We, the Commissioners, thank Mrs. Gibney for her interest and generosity in helping to beautify the Hamilton Cemetery. We also take this opportunity to thank Mr. F. C. Moynihan and the Highway Department for the task of keeping the avenues cleared of snow. This is a real service and we appreciate his co-operation.

The water system which had proved inadequate to supply the entire Cemetery has been replaced with new equipment. A larger pump has been installed and another well connected, thus assuring sufficient water for all parts of the Cemetery. The pump house has been moved to a less conspicuous location and the old site can now be graded in keeping with the rest of the grounds, making a more attractive entrance to the newer lots.

The main avenue has again been oiled and is now in such good condition that it should last for years. We hope to grade and oil some of the avenues each year so that eventually the entire Cemetery will be open the year round. At the present time it is necessary to close certain avenues in the spring of the year.

The Unemployment Committee has co-operated greatly in furnishing labor to build new avenues and lots. The construction of

these lots will in time prove very profitable to the town. We wish to thank the Unemployment Committee and all others who have in any way helped us in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS B. NORTON
RAYMOND A. WHIPPLE
LAWRENCE E. ANDERSON

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hamilton, Mass., Jan. 1, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: The Engineers of the Fire Department herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

The Department has responded to 53 alarms as follows: 18 stills, 29 bells, 1 to Wenham, 1 to Newburyport, 1 to Essex, and 3 inhalator calls. Total amount of hose laid: 2½-inch 15,150 feet, 1½-inch 2,000 feet, ¾-inch 2,475 feet; 837 gallons of chemical and 1 gallon C.T. were used.

A heating unit has been installed for the apparatus room to replace heat when the doors are opened in very cold weather.

Many fires during the past year have been expensive to extinguish, as there have been many buildings involved, among them the Hamilton Block, which necessitated the calling of 6 towns and 1 city for assistance.

The Ford chemical was purchased in 1916 and needs many expensive repairs, also the chemical solution used causes more damage than it helps to put out fires to interior furnishings, such as carpets, rugs, clothing, curtains, and overstuffed furniture. We recommend this year the town replace this apparatus with a modern one with a booster tank using water and pump.

The ERA and the unemployed have cleaned the brooks and water holes and started two large water basins in the eastern part of the town which we hope will be completed this year.

THE ALARMS FOR 1934

<i>Date</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Owner</i>	<i>Location</i>
Jan. 22	24	Building,	Elsie Sandler,	Moulton St.
25	Still 15	Cottage,	Joseph O'Donnell,	Pond St.
Feb. 13	Still 21	Chimney,	John Mann,	Asbury St.

<i>Date</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Owner</i>	<i>Location</i>
	25 Still	Inhalator,	Main St.	
	27 Still 31	Chimney, Mrs. C. Maker,	Highland St.	
Mar.	23 Still 21	Automobile, Francis Whipple,	Willow St.	
	29 Still 21	Chimney, Frank Schaller,	Asbury St.	
Apr.	5 12	Grass, Hiram Folsom,	Bridge St.	
	5 3-3-3	Ice Houses, Charles Mears,	Essex, Essex.	
	9 23	Grass, Barrett Wendell, Jr.,	Main St.	
	10 23	Grass, Hamilton Cong. Church,	Main St.	
	14 24	Grass and pine trees, L. E. Libby,	Moulton St.	
	18 31	Grass and pine trees, Asbury Grove Corp.,	Highland St.	
	18 24	Grass and brush, F. P. Sears,	Main St.	
	18 Still 14	Grass and brush, Bayard Tuckerman,	Saga- more St.	
	18 Still 21	Grass and brush, Welch & Moynihan,	Mill St.	
	19 32	Grass and brush, Fred Winthrop,	Highland St.	
	19 24	Grass and brush, Durell Hall,	Moulton St.	
	21 21	Grass and brush, Arthur Day,	Asbury St.	
	24 Still 12	Grass and brush, Edward Taft,	Woodbury St.	
	25 31	Grass and brush, Major Patton,	Topsfield Rd.	
	25 Still 12	Grass and brush, Knowlton Estate,	School St.	
	26 25	Grass and brush, Appleton Farms,	Farms Rd.	
	26 13	Grass and brush, Bernard Wiesman,	Essex St.	
	26 14	Grass and brush, Town of Hamilton,	Essex St.	
May	5 Still 21	Grass and brush, Robert Chittick,	Linden St.	
	9 Still 24	Grass and brush, Bayard Tuckerman,	Saga- more St.	
	13 Still 23	Chimney, Christ Church,	Main St.	
	14 Still 12	Grass and brush, G. L. Mandell,	Woodbury St.	
	19 3-3-3	Newburyport.		
	19 31	Grass and brush, Arthur Day,	off Asbury St.	
	27 21	Hamilton Block, Max Bookstein,	Railroad Ave.	

<i>Date</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Owner</i>	<i>Location</i>
31	23	Oil kettle,	Myopia Hunt Club,	Main St.
June 1	Still 21	Grass and brush,	Welch & Moynihan,	Linden St.
	18 Still 21	Grass and brush,	B. & M. R.R.,	Essex Branch.
	24	Inhalator,	Idlewood Lake.	
July 15	31	House,	Asbury Grove Corp.,	Highland St.
	18	Brush,	Wm. Sohier,	off Chebacco Road.
	22	Inhalator,	Idlewood Lake.	
Aug. 3	Still 24	Dump,	Mrs. George Vaughn,	Gardner St.
	9	Grass,	Sumner Pingree,	Highland St.
	13	House and barn,	Edward Stone,	Sagamore St.
	16	Building,	John Crosby,	Railroad Ave.
	20	Meadow,	Folsom & Berry,	Bridge St.
	24	Automobile,	George Vickery,	Grant Ave.
	30	Building,	J. S. Mann,	Highland St.
Sept. 2	23	Garage,	Mrs. G. v. L. Meyer,	Main St.
	13	Cottage,	Wm. J. Oliver,	Chebacco Shore Rd.
Nov. 1	21	Automobile,	Jack Grant,	Chestnut St.
	15 3-3-3	Wenham.		
	30 Still 21	Chimney,	John Ostrom,	Union St.
Dec. 16	23	Grass,	Oliver Wolcott,	Main St.
	28	Automobile,	Sidney Hill,	Pleasant St.

We desire at this time to extend our thanks to the citizens and all departments of the Town who have assisted the Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. MERRILL CUMMINGS
 JOHN E. CROSS
 DOUGLAS H. KNOWLTON
 EARL E. JOHNSON
 RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I wish to submit my eleventh annual report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Total number of arrests made during the year, 33; divided as follows:

Male	32
Female	1
Adults	30
Minors	3
Native born	29
Foreign born	4
Residents	11
Non-residents	22

OFFENSES

Operating under influence and drunk	4
Breaking and entering and larceny	3
Arrested on warrant and held for out-of-town police	3
Vagrancy to Bridgewater	1
Assault	4
Assault on an officer	1
Drunk	10
Going away after injury to property to another	1
Appealed cases	2
Operating to endanger	2
Non-support	2

DISPOSITION

Fined and paid	9
3 months State Farm—suspended 1 year probation	2

3 months House of Correction—suspended 1 year probation..	3
Arrested for out-of-town police on warrant	3
Found guilty and filed	2
Not guilty	1
Released without arraignment	3
Drunk and released	6
Non-support case in court and ordered to pay five dollars per week for support of children	1
Non-support case in court and ordered to pay five dollars per week for wife and child	1
Assault cases—fined twenty-five dollars and appealed	2

SUPERIOR COURT CASES

Assault cases found guilty and filed	2
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ARRESTS MADE BY OFFICERS

Southwick	11
Poole	1
Frederick	15
Sargent	1
Perley	1
Dodge	4

OFFICERS ATTENDANCE AT COURT

Southwick	21
Frederick	20
Poole	2
Dodge	4
Perley	3
Sargent	2

Report to Commissioners of Correction	1
Report to Special Crime Commission	1

ACCIDENTAL DEATHS

Drowning	2
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AUTOMOBILE TRANSFERS

By individuals	86
By Class 1 Dealers	42

SUMMONS SERVED

For out-of-town police	28
Service for local police by out-of-town police	6

AUTOMOBILE REGISTRATIONS

Registrations revoked in town by Registrar of Motor Vehicles	7
Registration suspended in town by Registrar of Motor Vehicles	2
Registrations, certificate and plates taken by police and returned to Registry of Motor Vehicles	6

AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

Licenses revoked by Registrar	5
Licenses suspended by Registrar	8

Total number of complaints investigated by police during the year	204
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MISCELLANEOUS

Automobiles reported stolen	12
Automobiles stolen in town	4
Automobiles recovered	3
Property stolen or lost	\$2,240
Property recovered	\$1,420
Serious accidents reported where people were injured	16
Automobile accidents reported with property damage only ..	26

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR SOUTHWICK,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE SURVEYOR OF HIGHWAYS

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

The following report of the Highway Department for the year ending December 31, 1934, is respectfully submitted.

Due to the economic conditions of the past three years we were compelled to discontinue the construction of permanent roads, with the result that today many of our streets in the outlying sections of our town are in very poor condition.

From present indications it appears that the Federal and State governments are going to resume construction of permanent roads, and will assume a major portion of the expense.

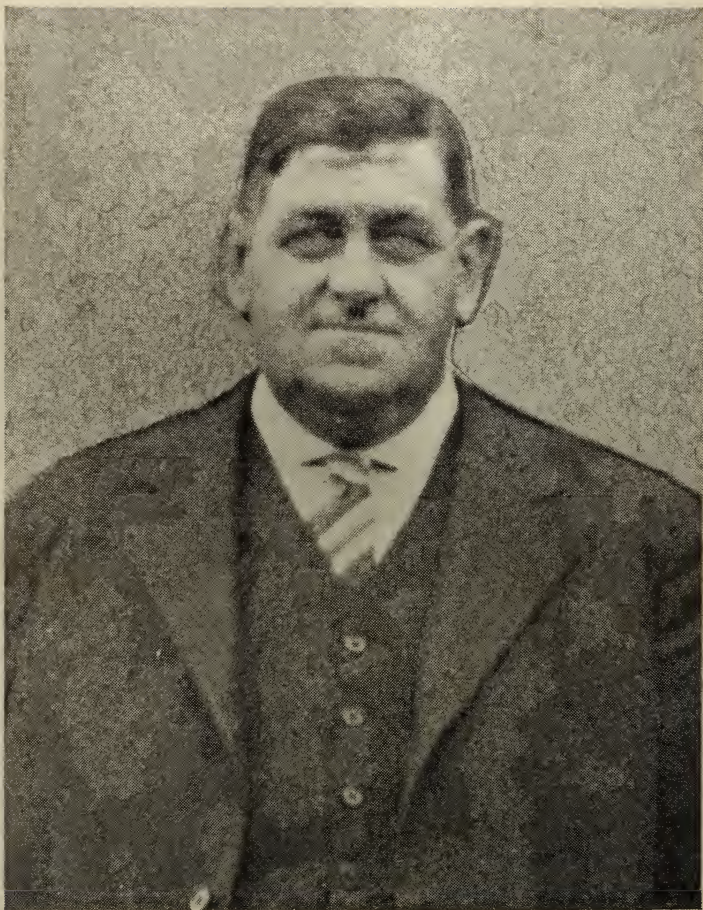
This year the State and County have allotted the Town the sum of \$15,000 for new construction on Highland Street, providing the Town votes the balance of \$5,000. I earnestly recommend the favorable passage of this Article.

In addition, I also recommend that any road projects contemplated by the Town should be of a permanent nature. Our cost of maintenance of gravel roads proves conclusively that permanent roads are the most economical.

Again I am glad to acknowledge the hearty co-operation of the Town officials and all departments.

In closing I wish to take this opportunity to thank all the citizens for their generous support.

FRANCIS C. MOYNIHAN,
Surveyor of Highways.



JONATHAN LAMSON

In Memoriam

JONATHAN LAMSON

1884 — 1934

For Twelve Years a Selectman, for several years Chairman
of the Board

JONATHAN LAMSON was the fourth of his family in direct succession to hold the office of Selectman of Hamilton, their combined service dating back to 1793, when the Town first became self-governing. In that year his great-grandfather, Jonathan, was instrumental, with the Rev. Manasseh Cutler, in separating the Hamlet from the Town of Ipswich; he became a member of the first Board of Selectmen of Hamilton, an office for which he was well fitted by previous experience as Selectman of Ipswich.

Exactly three hundred years before our Jonathan's death—only fourteen years after the landing of the *Mayflower*—his ancestor William settled in Ipswich; thirty-four years later the family moved to the western part of Hamilton, and took up land that has ever since remained in its possession. In three centuries of continuous living in one community, the influence of a family is inestimable. A certain quiet strength and far-sighted patience is handed on from generation to generation. There was a durability of quality in Mr. Lamson, which only comes from long-continued and intimate connection with a locality; it cannot be acquired in one generation or in three. He was of the ninth.

There is no need to speak of the benefits of his personal influence in Town affairs. "SI MONUMENTUM REQUIRIS, CIRCUMSPICE"—which may be freely translated, "If you want to know what he did, just look around." With his death on September 2nd, after a long illness, not only did the Town lose a valuable public official and servant, but New England lost a member of one of the families which have profoundly influenced her development.



GEORGE SNELL MANDELL

In Memoriam

GEORGE SNELL MANDELL

GEORGE SNELL MANDELL, who died August 11, 1934, was born in Boston, and upon graduating from the Roxbury Latin School entered Harvard College and received his degree with the class of '89. In college he was active in athletics and a member of many of the most exclusive and prominent clubs and fraternities.

Upon finishing his college course, he became associated with the Boston Evening Transcript, with which three generations of his family had been identified. To thoroughly fit himself for his chosen life work, he started at the lowest rung in the ladder in the mechanical and news departments and was chairman of the board of directors at the time of his death.

The athletic and sportsmanlike spirit of youth remained ever dominant in him during later life, his particular hobbies being horses and polo. He was for years a prominent member of the Myopia Club, being Master of Hounds. He was also a member of the Union and Harvard Clubs of Boston, among many others. Several years ago he was created a Chevalier of the French Legion of Honor.

During his many years of residence in Hamilton, he had been one of its most prominent citizens, untiring in interest, self-effacing in the willing performance of the many civic duties assigned him. His advice regarding matters of vital interest relating to the welfare of the town and its citizens was often sought and unstintingly given, ever with utmost fairness and sound judgment.

The Community House, on Main Street, erected by Mrs. Man-

dell and himself in memory of their son, Lt. Samuel P. Mandell, who gave his life as an aviator in the World War, supplied an educational and recreational center for the townspeople that they would never otherwise have realized. To the end, his interest never flagged in his efforts to have it fulfill his and his family's ideals.

He took a prominent part in the reception by the town in 1919 to the returned soldiers of the World War and in his characteristic but unassuming way did much to insure its success.

During the past two years of his life he was a valued member of the Town Unemployment Committee, and in spite of his failing health gave much of his strength and time in the working out of the serious problems confronting the town.

He was a member of the Building Committee in charge of the erection of the new High School, and with a fund of knowledge of architectural beauty and decorative art gained from study and travel, he devoted a large part of his time to the choice of the types of school furniture, special furnishings, blending and artistic variation of the tintings and colorings of the walls of the various rooms and halls. All of these suggestions were welcomed by both the architect and the committee and helped largely to beautify the building.

A gentleman, a pure sportsman, a generous and sympathetic friend, a valued and patriotic citizen, may we not say of him that

"To live in the hearts of those we leave behind is not to die."

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

In keeping with all other municipalities our expenditures for Public Welfare have shown an increase.

Part of the increase is due to the fact that if a family in any town or city is receiving aid and they have a settlement in the Town of Hamilton, this town is responsible for Welfare Aid given them. We have many of these cases.

Our relief is split up into several parts which are as follows:

Departments of Public Welfare
Beverly City Home
Old Age Assistance
State Cases
In-town Welfare
Out-of-town Welfare
Mothers' Aid
State School for Children

The following is the record of the Welfare Disbursements for the year 1934:

Welfare Appropriation	\$10,000 00	
Additional Appropriation	7,500 00	
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Total Appropriations	\$17,500 00	
Unexpended Balance	338 76	
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		\$17,161 24
Reimbursements	\$5,567 97	
Accounts Receivable	3,558 81	
Actual cost to Town	8,034 46	
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		\$17,161 24

All relief applicants who are able to work are assigned to the ERA or to the Selectmen Unemployment relief work.

We are asking for \$15,500.00 this year, which is \$2,000.00 less than last year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD A. DEWITT
ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS
JOHN H. PERKINS

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

ESSEX, SS. *To either of the Constables of the Town of
Hamilton,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hamilton, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet in the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday the twelfth day of March, nineteen hundred and thirty-five (March 12, 1935) at fifteen minutes before six in the forenoon (5:45 o'clock A. M.), then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To bring in your ballots for:

Moderator for one year

Town Clerk for one year

Three Selectmen for one year

Three Overseers of Public Welfare for one year

Treasurer for one year

Tax Collector for one year

One Surveyor of Highways for one year

Tree Warden for one year

Three Constables for one year

One Assessor for three years

One Member of the School Committee for three years

One Library Trustee for three years

One Cemetery Commissioner for three years

One Park Commissioner for three years

One Park Commissioner for two years

One Water Commissioner for three years

One Water Commissioner for two years

One Water Commissioner for one year.

The Polls will open at fifteen minutes before six in the morning and may be closed at one o'clock in the afternoon (1 o'clock P. M.). After the close of the Polls the remaining articles of the warrant shall be acted upon.

ARTICLE 2. To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town shall determine.

ARTICLE 3. To hear the report of the Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees and take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 4. To raise and appropriate money for Schools, Highways and all town expenses and determine the manner of expending same.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) to be expended for work to be done on the highways, the cemetery, the parks or for fire protection and for materials and implements, to provide work for the needy unemployed of the Town, or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to purchase a piece of fire apparatus to take the place of the Model T Ford Chemical now in use by the Fire Department or take any action thereon.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to continue the building of permanent highway on Highland Street, said highway to be built jointly by State, County and Town and to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for the Town's share of the cost of above work.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$5,239.80 from the Overlay Reserve Fund to cover the following overdraft:

Revenue Deficit 1934	\$5,239.80
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ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to recommend that the Board of Health make provision for the collection of garbage and rubbish in that part of the Town beginning at Miles River Station on Bridge Street and continuing to Essex Street, and along Essex Street to that section known as Hamilton Four Corners (this is to also include School Street, Knowlton Street, Prospect Street, and Appleton Avenue) or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Nellie C. Knowlton and others.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to oil the surface of Linden Street Extension so-called beginning at Union Street and continuing along the road as far as Lois Street, or take any action thereon as petitioned for by LeRoy C. Thayer and others.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to regrade, drain and oil Lincoln Avenue and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for same, work to be done under the supervision of the Surveyor of Highways as petitioned for by Malcolm P. Brown and others.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00) to build Appleton Avenue as per plan on file in the Town Clerk's office. This work is to be done under the supervision of the Surveyor of Highways as petitioned for by Edward H. Sargeant and others.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to complete the curbstone and cement sidewalk on the southwestern side of Railroad Avenue running to Willow Street and to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the same as petitioned for by Edward P. Gibney and others.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to oil and drain Washington Avenue and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for same or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Charles R. Grant and others.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Union Avenue so-called in Hamilton Park as laid out by the Selectmen as per plan on file at the Town Clerk's office or take any action thereon as petitioned for by Clarence H. Fisher and others.

ARTICLE 16. To see what action the Town will take in regard to changing Chapter I of the Town's By-Laws for the purpose of changing the time and manner of its annual Town Meeting to the end that the business part of the meeting will be held at least one week prior to the election of officers as petitioned for by Everett F. Haley and others.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use agreeable to Chapter 41, Section 37, of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 19. To act on any other matter that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at the Town Hall, and one at each of the three post offices in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 18th day of February, A. D. 1935.

JOHN H. PERKINS

EDWARD A. DEWITT

ARTHUR C. CUMMINGS

Selectmen of Hamilton.

TOWN OF HAMILTON
REPORT
OF THE
Finance and Advisory Committee
ON THE
Appropriations and Articles
FOR THE
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 12, 1935



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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

In making our report for 1935 we feel that the unemployment situation is the outstanding problem for 1935.

Despite the assistance of the Federal Government, the Town taxes have increased, because the Town has had to carry a much heavier burden of unemployment.

This year we feel that the policy of the Town should not change as to the amount of labor employed, but, that this labor should be employed on work giving permanent benefits to the Town.

Following are the recommended appropriations for 1935:

	APPROPRIATIONS		<i>Recommended</i>
	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Expended</i>	
	1934	1934	1935
C. W. A. Project 1216	\$ 469 63	\$ 467 18	
Selectmen	1,200 00	1,078 55	\$1,200 00
Salaries of Selectmen to be:			
Chairman		\$350 00	
2nd Member		250 00	
3rd Member		250 00	
Selectmen Unemployed	7,950 00	7,673 76	
Accounting	1,300 00	1,299 60	1,350 00
Treasury	1,000 00	998 50	1,000 00
Salary of Treasurer to be:		750 00	
Collector	1,200 00	1,199 26	1,250 00
Salary of Collector to be:		800 00	
Assessors	1,800 00	1,798 06	1,800 00
Salaries of Assessors to be:			
Chairman		350 00	
2nd Member		225 00	
3rd Member		225 00	
Other Finance Accounts....	20 00	20 00	20 00
Law	200 00	200 00	300 00

Town Clerk	650 00	646 41	650 00
Salary of Town Clerk to be:			500 00
Election and Registration ..	1,203 90	1,203 90	500 00
Town Hall	2,179 06	2,179 06	2,300 00
Town Hall Special	300 00	292 51	
Water Supply Tank B. & M.	3,000 00	3,000 00	
Water Commissioners			300 00
Water Committee	174 32	174 32	
Police	1,800 00	1,774 80	1,800 00
Fire Department	3,440 56	3,440 56	2,800 00
Sealer	300 00	300 00	300 00
Petroleum Inspector	25 00	25 00	
Moth, Town	1,900 00	1,899 42	1,900 00
Moth, Private Property	1,200 00	1,145 41	1,200 00
Moth Special—New Truck ..	500 00	480 07	
Tree Warden	900 00	900 00	900 00
Forest Fire Warden	200 00	185 66	200 00
Game Warden	15 00	10 00	15 00
Health	4,200 00	4,008 41	4,500 00
Salaries of Board of Health to be:			
Chairman			50 00
2nd Member			25 00
3rd Member			25 00
Inspector of Animals	75 00	75 00	75 00
Maintenance Essex Sanato- rium	1,037 38	1,037 38	1,281 96
Highway	18,000 00	18,000 00	13,000 00
Salary of Surveyor to be:			1,500 00
Snow	16,200 00	16,200 00	9,500 00
Street Lighting	8,350 00	8,349 91	8,400 00
Mill Street Drainage	500 00	499 90	
Linden Street Sidewalk	150 00	149 86	
Public Welfare	17,500 00	17,161 24	15,500 00
Salaries of Overseers of Public Welfare:			
Chairman			50 00
2nd Member			25 00
3rd Member			25 00

State Aid	220 00	220 00	400 00
Soldiers' Relief	2,157 50	2,157 50	2,000 00
Schools	**41,925 47	41,577 30	41,950 00
School—Vocational Training	200 00	93 25	200 00
School—Domestic Science ..	600 00	511 66	250 00
School—Athletics			250 00
School Special, Seeding Play-ground			250 00
Public Library	2,233 62	2,233 62	2,400 00
Public Library—Lighting ..	200 00	109 70	
Parks	150 00	141 88	150 00
Memorial Day	300 00	198 00	300 00
Town Reports	550 00	550 00	600 00
Town Clock	150 00	150 00	50 00
American Legion	250 00	235 00	300 00
Reserve Fund	1,500 00	1,487 92	7,000 00
Boiler Insurance	150 00	97 34	75 00
Insurance Fund	1,200 00	1,056 67	1,600 00
Cemetery	1,633 50	1,633 32	1,450 00
Salaries of Cemetery Commissioners to be \$15 each			
Interest	5,100 00	4,838 36	4,000 00
Maturing Debt	8,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
Appropriated at January, 1935, Meeting			7,500 00
	<u>\$165,459 94</u>		<u>\$150,766 96</u>
Balances from previous years and transfers from Reserve Fund	5,651 91		
Amount raised by Taxation	\$159,808 03		
Article No. 5			15,000 00
Article No. 6			2,000 00
Article No. 7			5,000 00
Article No. 12			1,800 00
Article No. 13			1,000 00
Total recommended and asked for Appropriations			<u>\$175,566 96</u>

** Including Dog Tax.

Article No. 5. We recommend that the amount called for be appropriated.

Article No. 6. We recommend that the amount called for be appropriated.

Article No. 7. Under the agreement made with the State and County, we are getting the most favorable terms of any of the Chapter 90 roads, as under the present agreement our share is only 25% of the total, as against one-third under the previous agreements, therefore we recommend this appropriation.

Article No. 8. We recommend this appropriation as this is merely confirming the vote passed at the Special Town Meeting held July 24, 1934.

Article No. 10. We recommend that this be done under the Highway appropriation by the Surveyor of Highways.

Article No. 11. We do not recommend that an appropriation be made for this work.

Article No. 12. We recommend that this article be laid on the table.

Article No. 13. We recommend that this article be laid on the table.

Article No. 14. We recommend that this article be laid on the table.

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT,
Chairman.

GEORGE v. L. MEYER.
STANDISH BRADFORD.
EDGAR D. ANDREWS.
JOHN G. KING.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF HAMILTON
FOR THE YEAR
1934



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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

The School Committee respectfully submits its report for the operation of the school system during 1934.

EDUCATIONAL

The primary aim of education is to develop citizens who will be assets to the community in which they live as well as to themselves. If this can be accomplished money spent on education is an excellent investment. The school committee has endeavored to insure this end, through cooperation of all units throughout the school system; addition of a new course of study, encouragement in athletics, and insistence on discipline. The committee has also purchased new equipment. The committee welcomes constructive criticism and hopes that all citizens of the town will cooperate with the school by offering such criticisms; and that parents will cooperate by continued training of the children at home. No school system is capable of producing the best type of citizen if the school curriculum is not supplemented at home by the parents.

The athletic program seems to have progressed smoothly and has not gained a position of undue prominence. The spirit on the football field, especially, has shown a marked improvement over last year. The committee hopes that the encouragement of athletics at school will lead to individual well-being and the desire for healthful recreation in the years after school.

The committee has procured new equipment for the domestic science class, having purchased six of the best cooking cabinets.

Unfortunately the activities of the East School had to be curtailed, as the committee felt that owing to the small number of students in attendance a more valuable arrangement would be effected by the transfer of one teacher and some pupils to the South School. Next year, however, the committee expects a large first-year class warranting a probable return to the old system.

FINANCIAL

In 1934 the School Committee received from the town \$41,808.60 plus dog tax to run its schools. At the end of the year there was a credit balance of \$350.17 which was returned to the town. In addition the town was reimbursed by the State \$3,690.00, which resulted in the net cost of \$37,885.30 to run the schools during 1934.

In 1935 the school committee is asking for \$41,956.93. This is approximately the same as 1934 but the committee hopes to accomplish more than it did last year.

Substantial savings have been effected in the salaries of new teachers but this saving has been offset by allowance for the probable rise in prices of supplies necessary to the school and increased cost of transportation.

The committee is asking for a special appropriation of \$500. for athletics so that the teams may be well-equipped and transported to their various engagements. Good equipment will lead to increased school spirit and protection of the player. Transportation in one bus will insure safe and punctual delivery to the place of the contest and return home. The committee feels very strongly that athletics at the school are in a position to warrant this outlay.

If the following budget is voted, the committee feels that it can safely say that the value of the schools in Hamilton will continue to increase.

BUDGET

	1935	1934
General Expenses:		
School Committee		
Clerk to Committee	\$ 75.00	\$ 50.00
Superintendent		
Salary	1,540.00	1,540.00
Salary of Clerk	327.60	327.60
Travelling Expense	20.00	20.00
Truant Officer and Census	50.00	50.00
Expense of Office	15.00	
Expense of Instruction:		
Substitutes		
High	75.00	75.00
Elementary	75.00	75.00
Teachers' Salaries		
Principals—High	2,600.00	2,600.00
Teachers—High	11,650.00	11,866.00
Teachers—Elementary	9,550.00	9,600.00
Music—High	70.00	
Music—Elementary	105.00	50.00
Drawing—Elementary	50.00	50.00
Sewing—High	1,000.00	1,200.00
Manual Training—High	1,400.00	1,600.00
Expenses—High	25.00	25.00
Textbooks and Supplies:		
Textbooks—High	375.00	300.00
Textbooks—Elementary	175.00	175.00
Supplies—High	500.00	500.00
Supplies—Elementary	325.00	350.00
Manual Training—High	100.00	100.00
Domestic Science—High	100.00	100.00

Operation of Plant:

Janitors

High	1,333.33	1,300.00
Elementary—South	1,300.00	1,300.00
Elementary—A. D. Walsh	400.00	400.00
Assistance	150.00	275.00
Fuel—High	1,000.00	825.00
Fuel—Elementary	1,000.00	900.00
Electricity—High	375.00	300.00
Electricity—Elementary	125.00	125.00
Janitor's Supplies—High	100.00	135.00
Janitors' Supplies—Elementary	100.00	100.00
Gas—High	25.00	25.00

Maintenance of Plant:

Repairs—High	250.00	200.00
Repairs—Elementary	250.00	200.00

Auxiliary Agencies:

Physician—High	100.00	100.00
Physician—Elementary	200.00	200.00
Nurse—High	250.00	200.00
Nurse—Elementary	560.00	560.00
Medical Supplies—High	15.00	15.00
Medical Supplies—Elementary	10.00	10.00
Transportation—High	1,757.50	1,757.50
Transportation—Elementary	1,973.50	1,757.50

Miscellaneous

Graduation—High	60.00	60.00
Telephone—High	90.00	90.00
Telephone—Elementary	65.00	65.00
Intelligence Examination—Elementary	5.00	5.00
Removal of Ashes	35.00	25.00

Outlay:

New Equipment

High	125.00	125.00
Elementary	25.00	25.00
Athletics	75.00	75.00
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	\$41,956.93	\$41,808.60

Specials:

Vocational	200.00	200.00
Athletics	500.00	
New Equipment	350.00	

The committee wishes at this time to express their appreciation to Mr. Bancroft, our Federal Administrator, for his cordial cooperation in the work on the High School grounds.

This area was graded and levelled (at no cost to the town) which not only beautified the school grounds, but made possible the development of an athletic field.

The School Committee wishes to thank the faculty, parents, pupils, and townspeople for their cooperation during the year. May any ideas or grievances be unhesitatingly brought to the notice of the committee during the ensuing year.

JAMES H. CONWAY,

Chairman.

FREDERIC WINTHROP, JR.,

Secretary.

ROBERT ROBERTSON, JR.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the School Committee,
Hamilton, Massachusetts.*

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to present herewith my twelfth annual report concerning the schools.

ENROLLMENT—SEPTEMBER, 1934

<i>Grade</i>	<i>South</i>	<i>Adelaide Dodge Walsh</i>	<i>High</i>
1	37		
2	27	2	
3	35	3	
4	34	4	
5	27	5	
6	36	3	
7			42
8			34
9			30
10			37
11			28
12			34
Post Graduates			6
Total	196	17	211
Grade Total			424

TEACHERS

South School.

No changes in the regular teaching force have been made at the school during the year. Miss Thelma Bailey was added to

the teaching force on December 1st to coach pupils, about twelve in number, in need of individual instruction.

Adelaide Dodge Walsh School.

Miss Katherine Malone resigned as teacher of grades one, two and three and was succeeded by Miss Anna Barron when schools opened in September.

Miss Wilhelmenia Ready, teacher of grades four, five and six, was transferred to the Junior-Senior High School on December 1st.

As the enrollment in the school was but twelve at this time it seemed advisable to place all the pupils under the instruction of one teacher, Miss Anna Barron.

High School.

Mr. George Bowden succeeded Mr. Nelson Progin as Manual Training and Physical Training Instructor; Mr. Bryce B. Walton succeeded Mr. Forrest Branch as teacher-coach; and Miss Madeline Featherstone succeeded Miss Ruth Barker as teacher of Domestic Science and Girls' Physical Training.

The several changes made it possible to realize a financial saving for the town of approximately \$300. as well as to give employment to several local teachers.

UNIT WORK

In grades one to four a plan for Unit Work has been developed. Around one unit or topic the larger part of the work in the grade is built for a week or month as necessary. Under this plan the teacher so organizes the work that pupil interest is aroused because of the fact that each pupil contributes something toward building up the unit of work.

Meetings are held once in two months for all teachers of grades one to four in this Union at which time demonstrations of the

work are given by the teachers of the town where the meeting is held.

A demonstration will be given by the teachers of Hamilton at the April meeting.

BUILDING INSPECTION

"The Self-Inspection Blank for Schools" prepared by the Board of Fire Underwriters was recently used for recording an inspection of the buildings by the principals, janitor and myself.

Questions on the blank were so worded that a negative reply indicated an unsatisfactory condition.

The results of inspections at the three buildings are:—

South School.

Two negative replies:— One pertaining to panic locks for exit doors; one, exceeding size of fuses recommended (15 amperes).

Adelaide Dodge Walsh School.

Three negative replies:— one pertaining to panic locks for exit doors; one, exceeding size of fuses recommended (15 amperes); one regarding provision for sounding fire alarm from second floor.

High School.

Two negative replies:— one relating to metal receptacle with self-closing cover; one, exceeding size of fuses recommended (15 amperes); one relating to provision of fire-resisting blanket for domestic science room.

The small number of negative replies is exceedingly favorable demonstrating that the necessary precautions are generally being taken to safeguard our children from fire hazards. The necessary changes to make all three buildings 100% free of fire hazards will not exceed \$100. and would seem to be a wise expenditure of money.

NURSERY SCHOOL

It has not been possible to maintain the Nursery School since June due to there being no local person qualifying for the work. Whenever a local applicant qualifies it is anticipated that the school will be operated for the benefit of all children of required ages. At the present time Mrs. Samuel Tyack and Miss Katherine Duffy are conducting a private Nursery School in the South Building.

DENTAL CLINIC

A large number of pupils have availed themselves of the opportunity to have their teeth cared for through the dental clinic at a charge of sixty cents per operation. A thorough dental examination is given all children. They may then have the necessary work done through the clinic or by their family dentist.

The school department provides a room and some dental equipment, but otherwise the dentist in charge furnishes all necessary materials.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORTS

Your attention is called to the reports of Mr. Payne and Miss Stobbart, as these two reports most adequately set forth the work as done by both in their respective departments.

COURSE OF STUDY

The State Department of Education has provided the following courses of study prepared by the special committee on Curriculum Revision:—

Course of Study in English for Junior High Schools.

Course of Study in Physical Education.

Grades 1-3

Grades 4-6

Manual for Teaching:— The Effects of Alcohol, Stimulants and Narcotics Upon the Human Body.

By the adoption of courses published by the Department, it is possible to have the most recent approved standards as guides in organizing the work of the schools.

HOBBIES

During these times as never before educators are asked to help direct the pupils' use of leisure time. Pupils are surrounded with many worth-while things to do, but somehow do not seem to take advantage of the many opportunities at hand. They neglect these opportunities largely because of lack of guidance or appreciation of the satisfaction to be derived from doing something worth while. They often have a feeling that doing something which they are not required to do amounts to but little in the estimation of adults.

That our pupils may make better use of their leisure time and have the satisfaction of doing something in their own way which may be recognized by adults as commendable and from which much pleasure is derived, pupils are now being encouraged to have a hobby.

Teachers will encourage pupils to have a hobby with the hope that the home will assist by making it possible for the hobby to be carried out. If reasonable results are achieved, an exhibit of hobbies will be held at the school during the early part of the next school year.

COURSE ON HEALTH EDUCATION

We were fortunate in securing the services of Dr. Fredrica Moore, Consultant in School Hygiene, of the State Department of Public Health to give six lectures for the teachers of this Union.

Topics discussed by Dr. Moore were:—

1. General Health Problems.
2. The Teacher and Her Health.
3. Teacher's Relations to Control of Communicable Diseases.
4. Correlation of Defects and Retardation in Grades 1-8.
5. How to Make Health-Teaching Interesting.
6. Selection of Materials for Health Teaching.

From the interesting lectures teachers gained much useful information to take back to their classrooms for the general improvement of our health curriculum.

STANDARD TESTS

A standard test in reading recently given all pupils in grades three to six showed that seventy-seven per cent of all pupils examined were up to the standard or above for the grade in which enrolled. In all grades several pupils received a score considerably above that of their grade.

During the remainder of the year special emphasis will be given the teaching of reading to those pupils whose reading standard for the grade in which enrolled is below the median score.

CONCLUSION

I take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the splendid service, and cooperation rendered by all who have in any way made it possible to maintain the standard of our schools as a whole and to make improvements in the several instances.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. WHITTIER,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 6, 1935.

REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

*Mr. John D. Whittier,
Hamilton, Mass.*

Dear Sir :

I present herewith my third annual report as Principal of the Junior-Senior High School for the year 1934.

School opened last September with the pupils facing three important changes. These were: first, changes in faculty; second, a six-period day instead of seven; and third, a general course added to the curriculum. The new teachers are fitting in well with the school program. Miss Madeline Featherstone is in charge of the domestic art courses and physical education for the girls. Mr. George Bowden teaches the manual arts and physical training courses to the boys. Mr. Bryce Walton teaches the social sciences in the Senior High School and coaches the boys in all competitive sports, as well as being director of physical education. In October Miss Wilhelmenia Ready took over the duties of Miss Evelin Hagglund as the Junior High School English teacher.

The six-period day schedule is one which is widely used. This schedule excels the seven-period day in that it allows the subject teacher more opportunity to actually teach her subject. The periods are a few minutes longer, thus allowing the teacher time to assist her pupils in obtaining a good start in the preparation of their lessons for the next day. I believe that both pupils and teachers find this arrangement more favorable.

A general course was added to the curriculum. This course was needed in order to allow pupils who were not fitted to pursue the college course because of lack of adaptability to successfully pursue the advanced subjects of mathematics, languages, and sciences; or the commercial course because of a lack of need or desire for the advanced subjects of stenography, typewriting and book-keeping, to select any subject offered during the year which would be of most benefit to the individual who desired a general high

school education. The requirements for graduation under the general course are to satisfactorily complete three years of English, one year of U. S. History, and three years of physical education.

A new subject called "Everyday Problems of American Democracy" was introduced for the first time this year. This subject now completes our social science program. It means that there now is offered a related subject in the social science field to the pupils each year. This subject is a very practical one and is recommended by the State Department.

The student council is functioning this year in a commendable manner. This body controls student activities in the Senior High School. There is a similar group of young people in the Junior High School which is known as the Student Senate. This is the first year of the Senate and it is conducting itself and its business very successfully. The Senate was organized in order that the Junior High School group would feel more like an organized group, independent of the Senior High School and capable of conducting its own activities. The Senate is to the Junior High School what the Council is to the Senior High School.

I would like to explain a few of the school regulations so that parents may have a better understanding of them.

Pupils are expected to be present each session of school. When pupils are absent they must bring a note from a parent or guardian on their return to school explaining the reason for the absence. A pupil is penalized if he does not bring this note on his second return from home. Absences are classified either as excused or unexcused. Excused absences permit pupils full credit in their make-up work. These are allowed for unavoidable absences due to sickness, death, or some emergency. Unexcused absences result in the pupil receiving a zero in the subjects missed. There are too many pupils absent for minor reasons. These excuses are not accepted and are usually offered by the pupil who can least afford the low mark and the loss of class instruction.

Such excuses as 'doing an errand,' 'didn't get up in time,' or 'missed the bus' are classified as unexcused. It is hoped that parents will do all within their power to help prevent unnecessary absences from school. It is the one biggest factor in causing low marks and failure.

Individual pupil report cards are sent home every ten weeks. In addition to these a notice is sent home to those who are failing in any subject, at the end of the five-week period following the sending of the report card. These notices are called deficiency slips and are made out by the subject teacher. They inform the parent of the subject with which the child is having difficulty and give the opinion of the teacher as to the probable cause. Both report cards and deficiency slips require the signature of a parent and a prompt return to school.

Each pupil is assigned a locker. Each locker has two sections. One section is for books and the other for clothing. A key is rented each pupil for the nominal rate of twenty-five cents for the year. When the key is returned the money is refunded. If a key is lost and then later found by someone else, it is returned to the owner without charge. It is very essential that a pupil keep his locker locked at all times. The pupil is held responsible for all school supplies loaned him and the safety of these supplies calls for a locked locker. This is especially important now that the school building is frequently used by the public. Parents could aid their children in this respect by helping to remind them to take their locker key to school with them.

The school has a regulation gym suit which all pupils are required to furnish personally. These suits are sold to the pupils at the lowest possible cost. It is very important that each piece of clothing be marked so that identification may be made if necessary. If these suits are kept at school in the locker they will always be available when needed. It is necessary for a pupil to have a suit in order to appear for a gym class.

The principal social event of the year might possibly be the Junior Prom. It was acclaimed by the many who attended as a gala event. There have been minor dances conducted during the spring and fall months, but these could not be classified as financial successes. There are so many organizations and individuals in town trying to earn money in similar ways that the school has to take its share of the reduced profits. The Community Stunt Nite which I inaugurated last year was very successful and will be tried again this year. Last year nine local organizations participated and it is hoped that even more will cooperate this year.

Graduation exercises were held during the evening of June 22. They were very effective, the central theme being 'History of Education Locally and in the State.' Appropriate musical selections were rendered as a part of the program. The gift of the class to the school was a large banner with the word "Hamilton" on it. This banner is now suspended over the stage in the auditorium. The names of the graduates and those on the honor roll may be found in the Superintendent's Report.

The sports for boys this year are under the able guidance of Mr. Bryce Walton, a graduate of Purdue University. He is well liked by the boys and gets considerable work from them in a credible manner. Miss Madeline Featherstone is doing a good piece of coaching with the girls' basketball team.

There is great need for financial assistance in maintaining competitive sports. Gate receipts amount to only enough to pay for officials. This leaves the cost of equipment and transportation to be met by profits from dances and other money-making schemes. These, at present, are not profitable. I sincerely hope that transportation may be provided our teams this coming year so that all participants representing the school may ride together and be supervised. The football team needs new equipment. The present uniforms have been used four years and are beyond repair. I hope that the townspeople, as well as the parents will realize this

necessity and do all in their power to help provide for the upkeep of the sports and the protection of those who participate in them.

A group of appreciative mothers gave the football squad a splendid banquet at the close of the season. I considered it a splendid token of loyalty on the part of these mothers and I thank them as well as each of the many citizens who generously donated something to help make the affair a success.

This year the Seniors are earning money for the Washington Trip individually. This plan was decided upon because of the large number in the class. The plan is working quite satisfactorily. The profits from the Senior play, "Topsy Turvy," will be set aside for this trip. The mothers of the Junior class members will meet soon to determine whether they desire their children to attempt to go to Washington as a class. There seems to be a difference of opinion among parents as to the advisability of this trip after considering the effort it requires to stage it.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you for the assistance which you have given me during this past year. I thank you and the School Board for your guidance in helping me to mold better characters in the lives of the young people of Hamilton.

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND W. PAYNE

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

*To the Superintendent of Schools,
Hamilton, Massachusetts.*

Dear Sir:

The following is a report of work done at the schools for the year ending December, 1934:

Total enrollment	422
Number of times school visited	235
Number sanitary inspections	75
Number classroom inspections	285
Number clerical work hours	163
Number home calls	297
Number first-aid dressings at schools	376
Number weighed and measured, all grades three times a year:	
Number 10% or more underweight	81
Result of eye and ear examination:	
Number defective eyes	20
Number defective ears	3
Ear examination incomplete at junior and senior high school.	
Previous to above examinations number eyes corrected...	12
Number immunized against diphtheria in 1934	93
Total number immunized to date attending school	387
Number refusing immunization	36
Result of Chadwick clinic, all schools:	
Number having skin test (Von Pirquet)	1
Number reacting to test	1
Number X-rayed	9
Number having follow-up physical examination	12
Number reported cases—Hilum	2

The above cases are weighed every month.

Result of physical examination by Dr. Corcoran, School Physician

Defective tonsils	44	Corrected	18
Slightly enlarged glands..	24		
Defective heart	6	Under treatment	6
Defective posture	67		
Cervical Adenitis	3	Corrected	3

Teeth:

Number with dental certificates 107

Number receiving dental work at present 50

Dr. Philbin is conducting a dental clinic throughout the schools at the present time.

Contagious and communicable diseases reported:

Whooping cough	10	Impetigo	7
Ivy	7	Athlete's foot	1
Eczema	1	Scarlet fever	29
Measles	4	Mumps	7
Chicken pox	4		

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE L. STOBART, R. N.,

School Nurse.

HONOR LIST

The following pupils received no rank below A or B for the entire school year 1933-34:

JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH

Edna Sprague	Rita Walsh
Thelma Mann	Irene Tree
Louise Moulton	William King
Barbara Maxwell	Myrtle Allen
Norman Neilson	Isabelle Peale
Philip Keyser	Alice Maddern
Dorothy Perkins	Harold Day

ATTENDANCE

The following pupils were perfect in attendance at school during the year 1933-1934:

ADELAIDE DODGE WALSH SCHOOL

Arlene Tucker

SOUTH SCHOOL

Robert Perkins	Robert Tobyne
Walter Hopping	Ernest D'Amato
John Day	Herbert Tobyne
Eleanor Tobyne	Martha Cunningham
Betty Dodge	Barbara Johnson
Jane Perkins	Louise Moore
Millard Palm	Harold Hammond

JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH

Evelyn Dodge	Mary Moore
Glenna Busell	Leslie McCulloch
George Sprague	Betty Bingle
Minnie Wetson	Walter Fowler
Dorothy Alexander	Georgina Cracknell
Ellen Donlon	Barbara Ham
Barbara Maxwell	Gertrude Sprague
Catherine Cracknell	Thelma Mann
Arthur Moore	Irene Tree
Dorothy Whipple	Edna Sprague

PENMANSHIP

The following pupils received certificates for most improvement in penmanship during the school year 1933-1934:

ADELAIDE DODGE WALSH SCHOOL

Gloria Bellevue	Louise Schulz
Mary Dewar	Adair Stride
Arlene Tucker	Margaret Goodhue

SOUTH SCHOOL

Eleanora Lamberti	Gladys Palm
Pauline Tobyne	Alene Flynn
Donald Sanford	David Greeley
Walter Perkins	Robert Martin
Vincent Sargent	Irene Chisholm
Amalia Frederick	Theresa Stelling
Robert Marks	Betty Emeney
Eleanor Tobyne	Lucy D'Amato
Bertha Ross	Jane Perkins
Margaret Keough	Viola Bailey
Christina Butler	Gordon Chittick

Frances Cowdrey

JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH

*Philip Keyser	*Dorothy Perkins
*Virginia Reed	*Patricia Faulkner
**Eleanor Thompson	**Glenna Busell
**Alice Maddern	**Mary Moore
Pauline Powers	*Victoria DeLuca
***Madeline Carter	***Hazel Manthorn

***Betty Davison
***Virginia Wallace
***Florence Dunn
Minnie Wetson

***Virginia Gould
***Myrtle Allen
***Helen Stevens
Isabelle Dunn

- * Zaner Bloser Company Award No. 4.
- ** Zaner Bloser Company Grammar School Certificate.
- *** Zaner Bloser Company High School Certificate.

The following pupils should have been included on the Penmanship List last year :

SOUTH SCHOOL

Jane Perkins
Gordon Chittick
Millard Palm

Viola Bailey
Christina Butler
Eleanor Tobyne

HOME READING WITH SCHOOL CREDIT

Public Library and Public Schools Co-operating

The following pupils received reading certificates for having read ten or more books from the approved list:

ADELAIDE DODGE WALSH SCHOOL

Grade 2

June Bousley

Grade 3

Dorothy Faulkner

Joyce Bousley

Grade 4

****Mary Dewar

**Kenneth Faulkner

*Walter Dodge

Patricia Stride

Grade 5

Shirley Beal

*****Joan Bousley

Ruth Caverly

Adair Stride

Grade 6

Ursula MacDonald

****Arlene Tucker

****Dorothy Thompson

Margaret Goodhue

SOUTH SCHOOL

Grade 3

Ebba Anderson

**Irving Bookstein

Ernest D'Amato

*Donald Duclow

****Dean Fowler

**Robert McRae

Marjorie Mann

Marjorie Hughes

Grade 4

*****Donald Sanford	*****David Greeley
*****John Perkins	*****Walter Perkins
***Charlotte Stanley	**John Wallace
*Vincent McParland	Emily Jane Wetson
Robert Martin	*Shirley Learned
Doris Thimmer	

Grade 5

Betty Dodge	Victor Tremblay
**Betty Emeney	Eleanor Tobyne
Lucy D'Amato	Bertha Ross
**Martha Cunningham	Mary Danforth
Jennie Ross	

Grade 6

*****Jane Perkins	*****Louise Moore
*Millard Palm	Harold Hammond
*Charles Palm	*Henry Jackson
***Richard O'Leary	Lorraine Mitchell
Margaret Keough	Dora Marks
**Mary Stelline	*Robert Kirby
*Neil Mullins	***Edward Wallace
Dorothy Manthorn	*Catherine Hammond
*Viola Bailey	***Jean Beers
*****Christina Butler	**Robert Chase
*****Virginia Frederick	*****Lorraine Wilson

JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH

Grade 7

*Alice Maddern	*Patricia Faulkner
*Joseph Bookstein	*Mary Moore
*Pauline Powers	*Elinor Carter
Glenna Busell	Ralph Harrigan
Henry Baker	Bessie Wilcox
*Evelyn Dodge	Dorothy Perkins
Philip Keyser	Virginia Breed
*Mary Johnson	Gordon McRae

Ruth Cameron

Grade 8

Thomas Mullins	Marguerite Bilodeau
Florence Dunn	Norman Nielson
Ruth Jackson	Eva Davison
Myrtle Allen	Bernard Greeley
George Sprague	Norman Dane
Helen Stevens	Van Withee

Edward Merrill

* Denotes number of stars given for the reading of each five books in addition to the ten required for obtaining certificate.

SCHOOL SAVINGS

SALEM SAVINGS BANK

Deposits during 1934	\$368 34	
Withdrawals	109 35	
Balance, January 1, 1935	<hr/>	\$258 99
Number of depositors		188

AGE OF ADMITTANCE

Pupils entering school in September must have been at least five years of age on April 1st preceding entrance in September.

VACCINATION

Children who have not been vaccinated will not be admitted to school in September unless they present a certificate from a regular practicing physician stating that they are not fit subjects for vaccination. Parents are requested to attend to this matter during the summer vacation, as certificates of vaccination or exemption must be presented at the opening of school to entitle children to admission.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

22—22 repeated at 7.30 a. m. means that there will be no school for the entire day.

22—22 repeated at 12.30 p. m. means there will be no school in the afternoon.

SCHOOL CENSUS

As of October 1, 1934

	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>
Number between five and seven years of age	30	24
Number between seven and fourteen years of age	136	127
Number between fourteen and sixteen years of age	25	38
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Totals	191	189
Total Census		380

TEACHERS AND COURSES PURSUED IN 1934

<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Course</i>
Anna Barron	Health Education
Nelly G. Cutting	Health Education
Mrs. Marion S. Batchelder	Health Education
	Current History
Marjorie Underhill	Health Education
Marian C. Joseph	Health Education
	Current History
Margaret K. Batchelder	Health Education
	Methods in Child Development
Ellen Duffy	Health Education
	Methods in Child Development
Thelma L. Bailey	Health Education
Roland W. Payne	Education in Flux
	Public Speaking
Bryce B. Walton	Voice and Diction
Mrs. Hazel E. Ramer	Health Education
George W. Bowden	Health Education
Madeline Featherstone	Health Education

HAMILTON TEACHERS' DIRECTORY, JANUARY, 1934

NAME	SCHOOL	Subject or Grade	Salary	Appointment	Education School Last Attended
Roland W. Payne.....	High, Prin.	Mathematics	\$2,600	1932	Columbia Teachers College
Bessie F. McKae.....	High	Commercial	1,500	1925	Salem Normal
Dorothy J. Ward	High	Commercial	1,450	1931	Boston University
Mrs. Laura W. Boyd.....	High	Senior English	1,750	1925	Emerson College
Frank J. Malone.....	High	French and Latin ...	1,500	1931	Boston University
Mrs. Hazel E. Ramer.....	High	Math., Science	1,600	1921	Salem Normal
Wilhelmina Ready	High	Junior English	1,100	1934	Salem Normal
Edith M. Anderson.....	High	Social Science	1,450	1929	Boston University
George W. Bowden.....	High	Manual Training ..	1,400	1934	Northeastern University
		Physical Training			
Madeline Featherstone	High	Domestic Science ..	1,000	1934	Essex Co. Agric. School
		Physical Training			
Bryce B. Walton.....	High	Hist., Econ., Biol...	1,200	1934	Purdue University
Ellen Duffy	South	Grade 6	1,300	1927	Hyannis Normal
Margaret K. Batchelder.....	South	Grade 5	1,300	1920	Salem Normal
Marian C. Joseph.....	South	Grade 4	1,300	1921	Salem Normal
Marjorie Underhill	South	Grade 3	1,050	1931	Niel's Kindergarten
Mrs. Marion Batchelder.....	South	Grade 2	1,400	1926	Hyannis Normal
Nelly G. Cutting.....	South	Grade 1	1,550	1915	Boston University
Thelma Bailey	South	Special	800	1934	Salem Teachers College
Anna Barron.....	A. D. Walsh	Grades 2-6	800	1934	Salem Normal
Grace A. Jenkins.....	All	Drawing	50	1933	Mass. School of Art
Maude L. Thomas.....	All	Music	175	1923	Boston University
Florence L. Stobbart.....	All	Nurse	760	1925	Beverly Hospital

HAMILTON HIGH SCHOOL

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

JUNE 21, 1934

PROGRAM

Processional: Priest's March *Mendelssohn*
 Invocation REV. ELMER EDDY
 The Lord's Prayer *Forsyth, Kraft*

CHORUS

History of Education in Hamilton EDNA A. SPRAGUE
 Salutatorian
 The Bells of St. Mary's *Adams*

CHORUS

Horace Mann's Influence on Education in Massachusetts
 M. RITA WALSH
 Presentation of Class Gift EDWARD G. LASKI
 Class President

Class Prophecy L. EDNA PRESTON
 Recessional: *DeKoven*

GIRLS' CHORUS

Development of Education in Massachusetts DOROTHY M. GREELEY
 Valedictorian
 Sylvia *Speaks*
 Perfect Day *Bond*

BOYS' QUARTET

Presentation of Diplomas JAMES H. CONWAY
 Chairman School Committee
 Benediction REV. ELMER EDDY
 Recessional: Priest's March *Mendelssohn*

GRADUATES OF 1934

Robert Glenn Armstrong
 Anne Cherstine Bradstreet
 Edward Harold Carter
 Mary Kathleen DeLuca
 Marjorie Augusta Dodge
 Doris Finch
 Janice Elizabeth Gould
 *Dorothy May Greeley
 Alexander J. Koloski
 Harold Lovering Knowlton
 Lawrence Lamson
 *Edward George Laski
 Kenneth Charles McRae
 *Lillian Edna Preston
 William Murrey Smith
 *Edna Angie Sprague
 *Ruby A. V. Tree
 *Margaret Rita Walsh
 Dorothy June Whipple
 * Honor Pupils.

CLASS MOTTO

EN AVANT
 (*Forward*)

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Gold

CLASS FLOWER

Gardenia

CLASS OFFICERS

<i>President</i>	Edward G. Laski
<i>Vice President</i>	L. Edna Preston
<i>Secretary</i>	Alexander J. Koloski
<i>Treasurer</i>	Ruby A. V. Tree

Note: The name of Constance Plummer Stevens should have been included in the list of graduates 1933.

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1934

Grade	A G E																	Total
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
1		12	22	1														35
2			13	13	2	1												29
3					16	15	5	2										38
4						14	17	3	1	2								37
5							10	14	6		1							31
6								11	15	9	3							38
7									21	7	7	5	2					42
8									1	15	13	4		1				34
9										12	11	6	1					30
10											11	16	5	2	2			36
11											1	8	12	5	2			28
12												3	15	12	4	1		35
Totals	12	35	30	30	31	33	30	44	31	37	33	35	34	19	8	1		413

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1935

January 2	Schools' open
February 15	Schools close
February 25	Schools open
April 18	Schools close
April 29	Schools open
May 30	Holiday
May 31	Schools closed for the day
June 20	Junior-Senior High School Graduation
June 21	Schools close

Summer Vacation

September 4	Schools open
November 11	Holiday
November 27	Schools close at noon
December 2	Schools open
December 20	Schools close

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January 6	Schools open
February 28	Schools close
March 9	Schools open
May 1	Schools close
May 11	Schools open
June 18	Graduation
June 19	Schools close

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